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OUTLINES.

The Russian press calls for a better feeling between their country and the United States——There was a serious riot yesterday among soldiers from Fort Washington at a resort on the Potomac river. Twenty-five soldiers are under arrest——The Bryan men in the convention did all they could to prevent a test vote on the credentials committee report——The retiring Democratic National Committee held its last meeting yesterday——A mock marriage in a play on a westbound steamer between an immigrant girl and an Illinois farm owner ends in a courtship and real marriage——A young man who passed as a society man is caught robbing guests in a New York hotel. He confesses to many such crimes——Judge Gray repeats that he would not under any circumstances accept the nomination for Vice President——The sub-committee on platform of the Denver convention gives out the anti-injunction plank it has formulated and which is expected to be adopted by the convention——The reconstructed Pennsylvania delegation at Denver elects Jas. Kerr as national chairman in place of Colonel Guffey——The Democratic convention last night heard the nominating and seconding speeches. Up to the hour of going to press this was all that had been done. The balloting will be done today unless it should be postponed by a prolonged contest over the platform, which, by resolution must be adopted before balloting for candidates will begin——New York markets: Money on call easy at 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1 1-4, offered at 1 1-2. time loans a shade lower. Flour more active and firm. Wheat spot strong, No. 2 red 98 5-8 to 99 5-8 elevator. Corn spot steady, No. 2, 80 1-2 elevator nominal. Oats steady, mixed 55 to 56. Spot cotton closed quiet, middling uplands 11.20, middling gulf 11.45. Rosin steady. Turpentine quiet 42c.

The Georgia delegates stood by their flag manfully, as was to be expected of them.

If the whole thing was settled before why does it take so long to go through the formality?

It looked like the bottom had dropped out of the reservoir of the upper regions yesterday.

Six hundred and fifteen is not a two-thirds of the vote of the convention and that is what is worrying the Bryan men.

Our friends from Durham had a rainy day for their seashore outing yesterday, but they seemed to enjoy it all the same.

We do not suppose President Castro expected to scare Uncle Sam by announcing the withdrawal of his representative at Washington.

So the oil magnate is again a grand papa. The young chap was born, it might be said, with a diamond spoon in his mouth.

Wonder what Russia is up to now that she is so anxious for closer friendship with the United States—some of her usual deviltry, of course.

It is said North Carolina will have a man in Mr. Bryan's cabinet. Of course, Hon. John D. Bellamy does not expect it any more than he wants it.

After many corrections the total vote of the Democratic convention has been determined. It is 1,006 and it will take 671 votes to nominate the candidates.

The antis were "holpod up" Wednesday by the fact that the Bryanites did not get a two-thirds vote on the proposition to unseat the Gruffey delegates.

We have to go all the way to Paris to find out who will be Mr. Taft's secretary of State. It looks like he might have told some one nearer at home of his intentions.

Just watch to see how many votes on the other side of Mason and Dixon's line will be cast for Hon. Clark Howell of Georgia or for any other Southern man for Vice President.

We suppose that the reason those prize fighters and their backers were not arrested at Petersburg, near Denver, until after the fight was over was because the officers who served the warrants wanted to see the fight.

If it be true that the Bryanites offered every inducement to Gruffey not to contest the report of the credentials committee it shows that they were badly scared and did not want a showdown before the balloting began.

Don't miss the bargains at Gaylord's this week. Pearl buttons two cents per dozen. **

ARE OFF [illegible] CAMP

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Junior and Senior Divisions Boys' Brigade of America Leave This Evening.

GENERAL ORDERS ISSUED

Soldier Boys Anticipating Outing With Much Pleasure—Handsome Testimonial to Captain John W. Harper.

In bright, new uniforms of Confederate gray, members of the First Battalion, Boys' Brigade of America, will assemble this afternoon at 6:30 o'clock at their armory, Second and Church streets, and proceed in a body to the wharf of the steamer Wilmington whence they will embark on the splendid steamer for a ten days' encampment at Southport. It is expected that the two divisions, junior and senior, will carry upwards of a hundred men, Col. Walker Taylor commanding.

The new uniforms, which will be used for dress purposes only, were received only yesterday. They were made by the Pettibone Mfg. Co., to individual measurements and are exceedingly fine and natty. General Orders covering the encampment were issued yesterday by Col. Taylor and are as follows:

"Headquarters 1st Battalion, N. C. Boys' Brigade of America; Camp Curtis, Southport, N. C., July 11, 1908.

"The eleventh annual encampment of this battalion will be formally opened at Camp Curtis (named in honor of Southport's most esteemed and distinguished citizen, Dr. W. G. Curtis, as a slight token of our appreciation of his example to and interest in young men) this morning at 7 A. M. and the following assignments are announced to be in effect during said encampment:

"Captain W. R. Dosher, Company A. Capt. C. C. Loughlin, Company B. John C. McAllister, First Sergeant Company A. Bruce Cameron, First Sergeant Company B. R. H. Orrell, Battalion Adjutant. Jas. A. Price, Commissary Sergeant; Jas. M. Hall, Hospital Steward. A. L. Dosher, Musician. These officers will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

"The following hours will be observed during the encampment: Reville 6:30 A. M.; Assembly 6:45 A. M. Mess 7 A. M. Company Drill 7:30 A. M. Recall 8:30 A. M. Sick Call 8:45 A. M. Religious Exercises 9 A. M. Guard Mount 9:45 A. M. Mess 12 noon. Battalion Drill 4 P. M. Dress Parade 6:30 P. M. Mess 7 P. M. Tattoo 9 P. M. Taps 10 P. M.

"The countersign will be issued daily from headquarters.

"One officer of the day, one sergeant and as many corporals and privates as may be necessary will be detailed daily for guard duty. The hours of bathing will be announced daily. All orders and signals will be issued from headquarters.

"By order of Colonel Taylor.

R. H. ORRELL,
1st Lieut. and Adjutant.

In addition to the officers named there will also be in attendance a number of the Reserve Corps of the Brigade, among the number being Capt. J. J. Loughlin, Lieut. J. A. Price, Lieut. J. W. Orrell and Lieut. W. W. King, Jr. Along with Company A. will be First and Second Lieutenants S. F. Garrison and J. F. Russ and with Company B First and Second Lieuts. A. E. Elmer and R. G. Pate with a full complement of non-commissioned officers. An advance detail went to Southport yesterday and will have everything in readiness when the boys reach there tonight with appetites well developed and a stomach for anything and everything that the ten days have in store for them.

Testimonial For Capt. Harper.

At the regular business meeting of the company for July the boys asked to be allowed to present to Capt. John W. Harper some little token of their appreciation of the kindly interest which he has at all times shown in the Brigade and of the frequent opportunities he has taken to manifest that interest. By unanimous vote the Brigade purchased a very handsome drop light to be used for reading and this useful gift was transmitted to Capt. Harper yesterday with an appropriate letter from Secretary Chas. C. Loughlin, of the Brigade. The letter recognizes that but for Capt. Harper the annual encampments would not be possible and as the encampment is such an important feature in the life of the organization, but for his kindness the Brigade would lose much of its effectiveness among the youth of the city. Capt. Harper desires to publicly and very gratefully thank the Boys' Brigade for its substantial manifestation and to assure them that his heart is always with them.

Moonlight Trip Was Postponed.

The moonlight excursion scheduled for last night, under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Union, of the Tabernacle Christian church was postponed on account of the inclement weather until next Tuesday night. Tickets purchased for last night will be good on next Tuesday.

NO BALL GAME YESTERDAY

Jupiter Pluvius Interferred With Opening of Series at Both Wilmington and Wilson Yesterday—The Teams Strengthening.

Yesterday's Results.
Goldsboro at Wilmington, rain.
Raleigh at Wilson, rain.
Games Today.
Goldsboro at Wilmington.
Raleigh at Wilson.

Old Jupiter Pluvius, with whom even baseball managers have to reckon some times, interfered both at Wilmington and Wilson with the opening of the second series of the Eastern Carolina League yesterday afternoon. While it was not raining at the hour for the game here yesterday there had been a young flood during the morning and early afternoon and the grounds were in no condition for play.

In spite of the weather, however, not a few of the more enthusiastic supporters of the game here went out to the park and sat lonesomely in the grandstand until word came finally that there would be no game on account of wet grounds. The pine saplings, the tops of which overlook the grounds, were filled with diminutive speciments of both white and colored humanity for several hours before the game and even as late as 5 o'clock in the afternoon the Young Americas were still sitting their perches like so many crows, waiting for the game that never materialized.

Today if the weather conditions will permit an immense crowd will witness the game with Goldsboro. Bussey and Kite will be at the firing ends for Wilmington and Goldsboro will have her crack pitcher on the slab. The game should be one of the very best of the series.

For Saturday's game Luyster and Ross will probably compose the local battery. Ross arrived last night and Luyster is expected to get here today. Both are in fine form. King Kelly, of the Raleigh team, has signed C. Fox, late with Kinston, and Sexton, the crack pitcher of that team. Wilson continues the second series without a change in its line-up. Goldsboro has several new players and are going to play winning ball from the jump. The following special was received last night from Wilson:

Wilson, N. C., July 9.—Owing to heavy rains there was no game here today. The Red Sox are here and look confident, but the Tobacconists cast on them bewitching goo-goo eyes and say, "Nay, Nay, Raleigh, we have got the habit and will hold to it to the end."

COMEDY FILMS TODAY.

"The Tragedian" and "The Little Madcap" Two Superior Films.

The Bijou will offer today something entirely new and something which the proprietors feel sure will please the public. The films will be "The Little Madcap," or "Oh! Splash!" and "The Tragedian," both of high comedy coloring and beautifully mounted.

"The Little Madcap" is, of course, the story of a "tom-boy girl" and naturally the scenes are quick, vivid and highly amusing. She empties a tub of water on a Dutch band; substitutes a guinea pig for a baby; capsizes a boat in which there is a fat woman; showers a coon parade; steals the clothes of the boys in swimming and leads them home in barrels, does a thousand and one other girlish pranks that keep the audience aquiver with mirth. The length of the film is about 600 feet and it is a topliner with all the film houses of the country.

"The Tragedian" is essentially a comedy success, presenting Romeo Hamfat, who begins rehearsals of his blood-thirsty act in a boarding house next door to a peaceful lodger who catches his lines and imagines that a murder is being committed. He rushes out, gets policemen; they rush up, grab Hamfat, who outwits them and begins a merry chase all over town, finally winding up with a return to Hamfat's room and his adroit explanation, which ends well except for his pursuers, who are tattered and torn before they discover their mistake. Both these high-class films are offered at no advance in prices and they may be seen for this one day only.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Palace Market—Watermelons.
W. E. Springer—Refrigerators.
Peterson & Rulfs—Comfort Shoes.
J. M. Solky & Co.—Watch This Space.
Southern National Bank—During the Panic.
American National Bank—Solicit Your Accounts.
St. John's Lodge A. F. & A. M.—Emergent Communication.

Business Locals.

Lost—A Pug Dog.
Wanted—Stenographer.
For Sale—Core Sound Skiff.
Rehder Candy Co.—Ice Cream.
Mrs. Cuthbert aMrtin—Important Meeting.

Wash fabrics 10-cent value, 6 cents today at Gaylord's. Ten yards of good bleaching 65 cents. **

NEWS FROM RALEIGH

Norfolk and Southern Receivers and Officers on Tour of Inspection of Property.

FRAZIER JONES ESCAPES

Serving Life Term From Guilford County—Death of Mrs. Oliver, of Mt. Olive—Corporations and Banks in State.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 9.—Thos. Fitzgerald, Harry K. Woolcott and Hugh M. Kerr receivers of the Norfolk and Southern Railway Company, with a party of subordinate officials spent the greater part of the day here on a tour of inspection over the system taking a look at the physical and rolling stock conditions.

They were in conference this forenoon for some time with Judge Thos. R. Purnell and Clerk H. L. Grant, of the United States District and Circuit Courts here, but it was stated that there was no significance specially connected with the conference, it being purely an informal discussion of the methods of business that shall be observed in their relation as receivers and as the court through which much of the statements of affairs must pass for the reason that so large a part of the system they must administer is in North Carolina.

Members of the party other than the receivers are H. C. Hodgins, freight and passenger agent; Fred L. Merritt, land and industrial agent; W. M. McGuyre, general superintendent; J. E. Gould, superintendent of motive power; F. L. Nicholson, engineer of maintenance of ways.

They started on the trip Monday, taking in first the electric lines and terminals, the shops at Murphy, Va., then the Currituck branch and main line south of Norfolk to Newbern and and the Pamlico, Oriental and Western road. Tuesday was spent at the Atlantic Hotel, Morehead. Wednesday they passed over the line from Beaufort to Goldsboro. From Raleigh they will go over the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound division to Washington. Tomorrow they will take in the sections of the road south of Albemarle Sound and conclude the inspecon Saturday.

The receivers express themselves as much pleased with the conditions as they find them and seem confident of being able to put the system on its feet again within a reasonable time.

The North Carolina Corporation Commission is devoting much time just now to the work of assessing railroads and other public service corporations.

It is with deep regret that the friends of Mr. Henry C. Brown, secretary of the North Carolina Corporation Commission will learn that he has developed a genuine case of typhoid fever. He has been ill at his home about eight days.

The Roberdel Manufacturing Company, Rockingham, Richmond county, has filed an amendment to its charter, changing the capital stock from $200,000 to $500,000. T. C. Leak, Jr., is the president.

In the assessment of capital stock of banks and other corporations in the State for the year now in progress by the State Auditor it develops that there are about 500 more than there were last year this time in the State, about fifty of the increase being new banks.

Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, was informed this morning by telegraph of the death of his aunt, Mrs. F. T. Oliver, of Mt. Olive. She was a widow lady and leaves two sons and a married daughter, the latter being Mrs. Norman Royall, formerly of Wilmington.

That Frazier Jones has escaped from the penitentiary railroad convict camp at Scranton, Hyde county, is the announcement just made by the penitentiary authorities, the escape having been on the morning of July 6th. Frazier Jones is the negro who was under sentence to be hanged in Greensboro for wife murder and was commuted to life imprisonment after five reprieves had been granted to him.

The Water Is All Right.

With the recurrence of each Summer there are always reports of contamination of the city pump water supply which is used by a large body of Wilmington people in all parts of the city. The present Summer has been no exception and Dr. C. T. Harper, city superintendent of health, has already taken the initiative to settle the matter beyond dispute. Yesterday he received from the State Chemist the report of an analysis of a sample recently sent in which it is stated that there is no contamination whatever and that the supply is good drinking water.

The battleship Nebraska of the Atlantic fleet detained in quarantine at San Francisco on account of outbreak of scarlet fever on board, having been thoroughly fumigated, sailed Wednesday to rejoin the fleet at Honolulu.

CONFERENCES ARE ENDED

North Carolina Interdenominational Sunday School Convention of Colored People Will Complete Work Today—Officers.

The North Carolina Colored Interdenominational Sunday School Convention, which has been in session the past three days at St. Luke's A. M. E. Z. Church, of this city, will conclude its work today in time to enjoy an outing on the steamer Wilmington, which has been kindly provided by Capt. Harper, leaving the city at 1 o'clock and returning in the early evening.

The convention has brought to Wilmington some of the most prominent colored people of the State and their meetings have been both pleasant and profitable. The excursion today has been provided by the local committee of entertainment and is given for the benefit of the convention fund. The afternoon session will be dispensed with in order that all may take the trip.

Yesterday the sessions were featured by the annual election of officers which resulted as follows: President, James H. Young, Raleigh; First Vice President W. G. Pearson, Durham; Second Vice President A. G. Davis, Newbern; Third Vice President A. J. Griffin, High Point; Fourth Vice President J. B. Dudley, Greensboro; Fifth Vice President J. Henry Martin, Charlotte; Recording Secretary Henry E. Hagans, Goldsboro; Corresponding Secretary Eugene Weaver, Durham; General Field Secretary Annie F. Hayes, Charlotte; Treasurer James E. Shepard, Durham; Superintendent of Teachers' Training Work Mary E. Burwell, Raleigh; Supt. Elementary Work Emma S. Andrews, Williamston; Supt. Adult Department Josie E. Taylor; Executive Committee—Dr. John E. Jackson, Durham, chairman; A. J. Rogers, C. J. O'Kelly, W. L. Lee, J. E. Dellinger, C. C. Spaulding, J. A.Bonner, R. B. Bruce, W. G. Pearson, Nita D. Rogers.

The convention will meet next year at the St. Joseph's A. M. E. Church, Durham, N. C., on the first Tuesday in July.

BOARD OF PHARMACY.

Pharmaceutical Association at Morehead City This Week.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Morehead City, July 9.—The State Pharmaceutical Association is in session here and a large number of visitors are attending. President C. R. Thomas, of Thomasville, is presiding and the session promises to be quite enjoyable and profitable. The address of welcome was by Mr. W. L. Arendell, of Morehead, and the response by First Vice President Junius E. Shell, of Lenoir. Other officers are Vice Presidents D. I. Watson, Southport; W. H. Justice, Hendersonville; Treasurer G. K. Grantham, Dunn; Secretary P. W. Vaughan, Durham. The annual address of the president was well written and full of interest and information for members of the trade. Among the prominent visitors are Prof. Jos. P. Remington, of the College of Pharmacy, Philadelphia, Manager Dobbs, of the Coco-Cola Company; Henry P. Gilpin and others.

Of the 56 candidates who stood examination for license 39 passed as follows: J. N. Beaty, Tarboro; B. H. Browning, Littleton; H. T. Clark, Scotland Neck; L. H. Cox, Lowell; D. H. Creech, Benson; E. O. Edgerton, Tarboro; G. S. Field, Washington; T. R. Gibbs, Belhaven; T. L. Gardner, R. C. Harville, Reidsville; J. K. Hanson, Southport; W. J. Hicks, Goldsboro; H. L. Pope, Lumberton; F. D. Quinn, Shelby; C. L. Ross, Ayden; J. S. Rudisill, Newton; W. A. Sample, Statesville; B. S. Warren, Greenville; J. R. Whitty, Pollocksville; W. R. Winn, Greensboro; L. A. Yancey, (col.) Fayetteville.

R. M. MacArthur, of Winston, leads the class and received the Hancock medal.

SEASON AT THE BEACH.

Hotels and Boarding Houses Well Filled—Two More State Meetings.

Practically all the hotels and boarding houses on Wrightsville Beach are now filled to capacity with guests and the outlook is still bright. Two Pullmans filled with Atlanta people will arrive Sunday to spend the week-end and the hotel and boarding house proprietors are receiving requests for accommodations from all over the South.

The next State meeting of importance which will hold forth at the beach will be the North Carolina Hotel Men's Association which comes some time this month. Then also the Republican Congressional Convention will meet at Wrightsville at a date to be named later. Both of these conventions are booked for the Seashore Hotel. Manager Hinton yesterday gave a favorable answer to the North Carolina Association of County School Superintendents through State Superintendent Joyner, who desires that the meeting be held at Wrightsville Beach the last week in August. The law requires that every county superintendent attend this meeting and more than a hundred are expected, including members of their families and friends. This will be one of the last of the State meetings to be held here.

Visit Gaylord's today, full size sheets 34 cents, 15-cent pillow cases 10 cents. **

IN ASHEVILLE NEXT

Fourth Annual Convention of Retail Hardware Association Adjourned Yesterday.

SPLENDID BANQUET AT NIGHT

Annual Election of Officers and Unfinished Business Transacted at Closing Sessions—Resolutions of Thanks.

Two business sessions yesterday and a magnificent banquet at which covers were laid for considerably more than a hundred at the Seashore Hotel last night were the closing features of the fourth annual convention of the Retail Hardware Association of the Carolinas, which has been in session at Wrightsville Beach since Tuesday.

The business sessions were adjourned shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon with a hard fight between Charleston, S. C., Greensboro, Charlotte and Asheville, N. C., for the next place of meeting, the latter city having been finally selected on the second ballot, Charlotte and Greensboro losing out on the first ballot. The claims of Charleston were presented through the South Carolina delegation in a communication from the Mayor and city council; Mr. J. H. Weddington for the Greater Charlotte Club, the Southern Manufacturers' Club, the Mayor, city council, hotels, etc., presented the claims of Charlotte; Mr. C. H. Ireland spoke well and delightfully in favor of Greensboro, while Mr. Otis Green pictured such beautiful mountain scenery and described such health-giving breezes that the convention couldn't resist the invitation to go to the mountain metropolis of North Carolina. The election of officers was upon report of the nominating committee composed of Messrs. W. W. Watt, chairman; W. H. Smith, C. P. Harden, T. O. Flowers and F. L. Smyre, and resulted as follows:

President—E. Walker Duval, Cheraw, S. C.

First Vice President—R. H. McDuffie, Fayetteville, N. C.

Second Vice President—Wm. H. Smith, Gaffney, S. C.

Third Vice President—A. L. Phipps, of Durham, N. C.

Secretary and Treasurer—T. W. Dixon, of Charlotte, N. C.

The committee recommended that a fixed salary of $1,200 be paid to the secretary and treasurer and that all fees, etc., be converted into the general treasury. It was also recommended that immediate action be taken to have the Association incorporated.

During the sessions Mr. M. L. Corey, of Argos, Ind., secretary of the National Retail Hardware Association, discussed very interestingly for the Association "Parcels Post and the Retailer." This was followed by a general discussion of proposals from the question box and the winding up of odds and ends that have been accumulated since the opening session. Resolutions of thanks to the retiring officers and to all others who have contributed to the success of the convention were passed on the floor and also in the formal resolutions reported by the standing committee composed of Messrs. A. E. Lloyd, R. E. Barron and P. M. Parrott. The resolutions were as follows:

"Resolved: That the thanks of this Association be extended to the hardware and mill supply dealers and to the sash, door and blind manufacturers of Wilmington for the handsome manner in which they have entertained this association, through its splendid and able committee; that our sail to Fort Caswell was a most enjoyable affair and will be remembered for a long time.

"Resolved: That the thanks of this Association be extended to the commandant and officers of Fort Caswell for the many courtesies shown the members, their families and friends during our short visit to the fort.

"Resolved: That we extend our thanks to the various manufacturing companies for the splendid exhibits they have made at the Wilmington meeting; for the beautiful souvenirs and other courtesies shown by their representatives.

"Resolved: That we extend our hearty thanks to the press of Wilmington for the notices they have published of our proceedings; to the Mayor of Wilmington for his hospitable welcome to the city by the ocean.

"Resolved: That the suggestion thrown out during the talks that we should send delegates to the meetings of the Retail Hardware Associations of nearby States is a good one and is worthy of serious consideration.

"Resolved: That the most sincere thanks of this Association be extended to Mr. McLure, our retiring secretary, for the able work he has done for the Association during the past three years. He has been with us through the hardest part of the fight and it is due in a large measure to his work that we have grown to our present membership.

"Resolved: That we express thanks to the ladies who have by their presence graced this occasion and who

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DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET.

..For Governor—W. W. Kitchin.
For Lieut. Governor—W. C. Newland.
For Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes.
For State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy.
For State Auditor—B. F. Dixon.
For Attorney General—T. W. Bickett.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—W. A. Graham.
For Corporation Commissioner—B. F. Aycock.
For Superintendent of Education—J. Y. Joyner.
For Insurance Commissioner—J. R. Young.
For Labor Commissioner—M. L. Shipman.

NORTH CAROLINA'S MINING INTERESTS.

Some years ago, before so much progress had been made in the development of the mineral resources of our State we heard one of her prominent citizens remark that North Carolina had a sample lot of all minerals and ores found in the United States, but not enough of any one kind to make its development and mining worth the expense of development. Perhaps in those days there were many other people in the State who were of the same opinion, who looked upon their State as only a narrow strip of land lying between two States. Those people who held that opinion of their State have either passed away or have been forced by recent developments to change their minds. North Carolina is no longer classed as a State capable only of furnishing samples of the many valuable ores and minerals to be found in other parts of the Union. Investigation shows that she has valuable deposits of various kinds of ores which in many places are being profitably mined and that here are to be found in paying quantities hidden treasures of the earth more abundant than in any other section and some not to be found anywhere else. The mining industry is becoming of more importance as the opening and development of her mines progresses. Persons interested in this matter would do well to read a pamphlet entitled "The Mining Industry in North Carolina During 1906," by State Geologist Joseph Hyde Pratt. The Charlotte Observer has this to say of the Pratt pamphlet:

"It shows that our mineral production is not inconsequential, having been of the value of $3,007,601 for the year named, and that the industry is of increasing importance, having grown to this figure from $1,821,276 in 1901. The gold mined in the year last named was worth $60,411; in 1906 twice as much, or $122,008. Yet gold is not our principal mineral product, being outrun in 1906 by copper, mica, monazite and stone, the latter of which increased from $284,744 in 1901 to $854,301 in 1906."

These figures show that there are more than sample lots of the valuable ores being brought to the surface in our State and that with greater development its output can be made still greater.

JUST BALL GAME CRITICISM.

Charlotte got whipped out in two games of baseball on her own grounds by Winston-Salem on Tuesday. The News speaking of this, did not attempt to make any excurses for the home team; it did not put the blame on the umpire or talk about Charlotte's "hard luck", but came out openly, fairly and squarely and said its city team lost the game because it was outclassed. That's the way to do it. When your home team does not play up to its capacity, tell it so. It can be done without "knocking." Ball players, like everybody else have their off days; and when they come they should be told of it in a way—not to discourage them but to encourage them to greater exertions next time. Everybody should whoop up their own team, not only by "rooting" at the games, but by encouragement at off times, but the men should not be given false praise and all sorts of excuses made for them when they lose games through failure to come up to their known ability. You can stand by the home team without doing this and it is more real encouragement and gets better playing out of them to know that they are to be praised when doing well and justly criticised when falling below the mark.

DEMOCRATIC PROGRESS.

The Greensboro Record sees signs of progress in the Democratic party in the ruling out of Patrick H. McCarran in favor of Charles F. Murphy. But then some people may say it was merely the swapping by the Bryan men of the devil for a witch. Since Mr. Murphy has been "it" at Denver he has kept the party and the whole country quessing as to what he would do with his New York delegation. To an outsider it looks like he was waiting to see which way the cat was going to jump before declaring himself. His attitude is some evidence that there is still doubt of Bryan's nomination. Where the evidence of progress comes in we cannot see. To us one seems about as sincere or disinterested, or rather insincere and personally interested Democrat as the other and between the two there is no greater difference than there is between tweedledum and tweedledee. Tammany and anti-Tammany, people's party and all other factions in New York work more to the control of municipal patronage of Greater New York than to the good of the party or anything else.

Governor Glenn deserves congratulations for the great enjoyment he will derive today from making the first speech seconding the nomination of Mr. Bryan. Only one thing could have been done to make his bliss greater and that is to have been given the opportunity to make the nominating speech; but the seconding speech gave him opportunity to display his great oratorical powers.

To read what the Greensboro papers say about it since Charlotte captured the Republican State convention one would believe that Greensboro does not care about ever having another State political convention. It seems to us we once heard some kind of a story about a fox and a bunch of grapes.

It would be well if the health officers of this city would at times take a promenade on some of the streets in the very early hours of morning, after the dampness of the night had brought out the bad odors. Their noses might lead them to some locations which needed sanitary attention.

If by any possibility the Socialist Labor party's candidate for President should be elected we wonder if the Governor of Nevada would pardon him and release him from his term of years he is now serving in the penitentiary for murder in time to be inaugurated next March?

What have "certain persons" got to say now about the band at the Republican convention playing marching through Georgia? It was not accompanied by an attack of other delegates on the Georgia standard, to say the least of it.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The departure of George W. Vanderbilt and his family today for a protracted stay abroad will doubtless be viewed with regret by this community which has materially benefitted by his long connection with it. While we of this section are fully aware of the fact that Mr. Vanderbilt's penchant for agricultural pursuits has been a strong factor for the betterment of our farming interests.—Asheville Citizen.

—The prohibition question is being pushed into politics, just as everyone expected. The issue is that the Legislature allowed the farmers of the East to make wine of their grapes, but did not make any provision for the farmers' apples of the West. Such an argument will have some effect but it would be unfair. All parties were in favor of the law as passed by the Legislature and it was not a party question.—High Point Enterprise.

—Colonel Bryan is going ahead promising places in his cabinet. North Carolina is given one. Now the report comes that "Colonel Bryan has received favorably the suggestion that the recent pronounced antagonism of the Bryan men to Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, shall be offset by the intimation that in the event of Bryan's election he will invite Johnson, to take a place in his cabinet." This is all very good except for two things. One is that Colonel Bryan probably never will have a cabinet, and the other is that Johnson has not said he would take a place in it in the event the colonel should ever have one.—Charlotte Chronicle.

—The nominee of the Socialist Labor party for President—nominated by the way, in New York, last Sunday—is Martin R. Preston, of Nevada, who is now in the penitentiary at Goldfield serving a sentence of twenty-five years for murder. The story is that "he was a picket in a strike there and trying to prevent girls from serving as waitresses in a 'scab' or boycotted restaurant. The proprietor interfered and Preston shot and killed him." This nomination was, of course, an open declaration in favor of free murder, but in order to avoid confusion and injustice it should be known that this organization is not the Socialist party proper. Many law-abiding and good though misguided citizens belong to the latter.—Charlotte Observer.

—Those who vote for Hon. W. W. Kitchin for Governor of North Carolina may rest satisfied that they vote for a man who is not only an able lawyer, but a man of clean life. He is an earnest follower of the Lord Jesus Christ. This fact means much when it comes to placing men in positions of high honor and trust. We had occasion to watch his daily life through four years of our pastorate at Roxboro, and we have nothing but good to say of him as a man and a citizen. While a devout member of the Baptist church, he rarely missed our weekly prayer-meeting and never hesitated to lead in prayer when called on. He married one of our sweetest Methodist girls in Roxboro, and she has been an inspiration to him throughout his whole political career. He will make a strong, honest, and able Chief Magistrate.—Raleigh Christian Advocate.

—Four years ago Mr. Bryan said in a speech at Urbana, Ohio: "The Democrats of 1892 played a confidence game on the people and put a bunco steerer at the head of the party." In a statement issued June 22d, 1902, Mr. Bryan said that Mr. Cleveland secured his nomination in 1892 by a secret bargain with financiers; that he spent the largest campaign fund the party ever had; that he filled his cabinet with corporation agents; that he placed railroad lawyers on the bench of the United States Supreme Court, and that having debauched his party he seeking to eulogize his memory for turn to the path of virtue. Now that Mr. Cleveland is dead Mr. Bryan is seeking to capitalize his memory for personal political profit. A portrait of Mr. Cleveland, draped in black, is to be hung in the convention hall at Denver. Reports come from Lincoln that Mr. Bryan would be pleased with the nomination for Vice President of Judge Gray or some other man who was close to Mr. Cleveland. There is much talk about "harmonizing" the two wings of the party as a tribute to Mr. Cleveland's memory. There has come from Lincoln, however, no suggestion of honoring Grover Cleveland's memory by returning to Democratic principles and nominating a real Democrat for President on a real Democratic platform.—New York World.

TWINKLINGS.

—"One-half of the world doesn't know how the other half lives," observed the moralizer. "How provoking!" exclaimed Mrs. Gossyp.—Lippincott's.

—"Those girls do me great credit, I think," declared a lady in the audience. "You are one of the teachers, I presume?" "No, I'm a dressmaker."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—De Tough—I want to return this dog to the gent what owns him. I seen his ad. in the paper. The Lady—How did you guess it was a "gent" that put the ad. in? De Tough—"Cause it said, 'No questions asked.'"—Pick-Me-Up.

—"He went to that place from which no traveler returns—" "Dead?" "No, you interrupted me before I had finished. From which no traveler returns until he is busted—New York."—Newark Star.

—"I want a good revolver," began the determined-looking man. "Yes, sir," said the salesman. "Six chambers?" "Why—er—you'd better make it a nine-chamber. I want to use it on a cat next door."—London Express.

—Mrs. Mulligan—Och! Oi niver go to th' shtore but phat I fergit sumthin.' Mr. Mulligan—An' phwat did yez fergit this toime, darlin'? Mrs. Mulligan—It's afther fergittin' to go at all, at all, Oi'm doin' this marnin'.—Judge.

—Grouch—The Rev. Mr. Smiley's scheme to pass around the cigars and let the men smoke during services has proved a failure. Blink—What was the trouble? Grouch—His wife bought the cigars.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

—Yes, the Indian was a weak renegade. "We call him Statistics!" sneered the chief of the tribe. "And why Statistics?" "Because" (here the old savage spat upon the ground disdainfully,) "you can torture almost anything out of him!"—Puck.

—This is the editorial method in one of the Billiville settlements: "Might I ask to read this poem?" said the poet, timidly. "You might," replied the editor, "if I'm not too quick for you; but, as it is, I anticipate you. Follow the shotgun barrel to the door, then turn to the right."—Atlanta Constitution.

—"Just this way, sir," said the courteous clerk in the railroad ticket office. "Let me show you some summer guides entitled 'Where to Go' and 'When to Go.' The man with the modest income shook his head. "They don't interest me," he sighed. "What I want to know is 'How to Go'."—Chicago Daily News.

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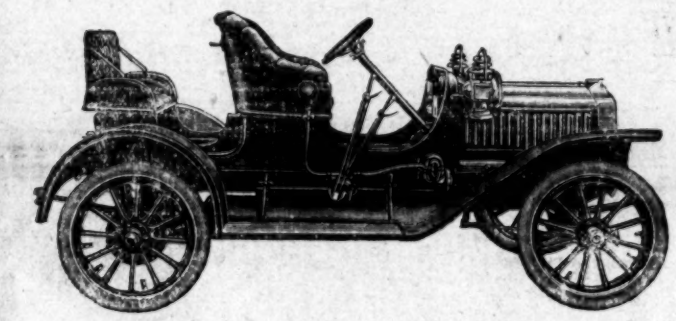

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Ar. Hamlet....	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet....	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe....	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
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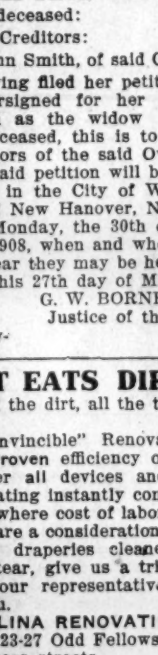

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A PERSONATION.

[Original.]

Russell Seymour at twenty was desperately in love with Barbara Ward, a few months his senior, but since he had nothing except what he might carve out of the future a marriage between them was not to be considered. Seymour went to a distant city to push his way in the world, declaring that when he had a competency he would return and if he found Barbara still unmarried would claim her.

Twenty years passed. Seymour had prospered, but had not married. At forty he was still very young looking, young feeling and young acting, but he was at that age when a man begins to tire of clubs and the laborious part of keeping in social life. He longed for a home, and what was more natural than to revert to his old sweetheart to make that home for him? He wrote her that he was intending to make a trip and would call upon her. He inclosed his photograph.

Now, Barbara Ward had been a good deal of an invalid for many years. Her face was creased, and her hair was almost white. She looked ten years older than she was, while the likeness she received looked ten years younger than Seymour. Here was a gap in appearance alone of twenty years. In addition to this, she was broken down in health, and her time for rearing a family had passed. She was too sensible a woman to receive Russell Seymour as a lover. Her sister's child, now a woman of twenty-seven, had the same name as she, and pictures of the two taken at the same age looked like twins.

The Wards lived at a suburban town near a city. Seymour sent word of the day and hour of his expected arrival, and Miss Barbara drove to the station for him. Seymour, who was aware that a woman of forty would have passed the bloom of youth, looked forward to the meeting with misgivings. When he saw what he mistook for his old love but slightly aged he was astonished and delighted. Indeed, he began to worry about a few gray hairs that were creeping into his beard.

Now, Miss Ward had instructed her niece to entertain Mr. Seymour and make excuses for her own nonappearance, for she did not intend to show herself. It did not occur to Barbara to play the part of her aunt till she saw that she had been mistaken for her; then, the spirit of mischief being rife in her, she played it to perfection.

"How in the world," he asked, "have you managed to retain your youthful appearance?"

"No cares and a good conscience."

"You don't look a day over thirty."

Barbara winced at this, but managed to reply, "And you don't look a day over thirty either."

"How fortunate that we have both retained our youth! But the heart—that never grows old."

"Sometimes it grows cold." She cast aside her eyes.

"I assure you mine beats the same as when I parted from you."

"Then why have you not come for me before?"

This was a home thrust. He pleaded absorption in business, a desire to accumulate a certain amount and other excuses in which there was no warmth of love. "And you," he said, "why did you cease to write me?"

"How could I continue to write when your letters came at such long intervals as to indicate that you were changed?"

"Never mind that, sweetheart. We are united now, and we'll never part again in life."

Had the young lady not held the reins he would have taken her hand, stolen an arm around her waist, possibly a kiss. As it was, he was obliged to defer caresses till they reached home, where he found her unwilling to submit to them. He protested, and she dropped a hint that she must be won anew. Indeed, she left a doubt in his mind whether she could be won at all. They dined together, and Seymour was surprised that no one except Barbara was at the table. He asked if she lived alone, which disconcerted her, but she stuck to the truth by telling him that she lived with an aunt who was an invalid.

That night Barbara confessed to Miss Ward the part she was playing. Her aunt after reflection told her to continue the deception. Seymour was made welcome at the house and showed no inclination to depart. The day after her arrival the invalid came down for dinner, and Seymour was introduced by Barbara. A sadness came over Miss Ward's face when her former lover showed no recognition of her whatever. Indeed, he sat at table with a bored look on his face that a third person should have come to intrude upon their companionship.

There were many conferences between aunt and niece. The elder Miss Ward, fully realizing that she and Seymour were not for each other, desired Barbara to accept him in her stead. Barbara would have been pleased to do so but for what she considered disloyalty to her aunt. One day after an agreement between the two women they met Seymour together and told him the truth. Then Barbara said:

"To make amends for this deception we are agreed that if you wish either of us you may choose between us."

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Friday, July 10, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., July 10, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 9 P. M. Thursday, July 9th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 71 degrees; 8 P. M. 71 degrees; maximum 78 degrees; minimum 70 degrees; mean 74 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 3.54; rainfall for the month 4.20.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Thursday at 8 A. M. — feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Friday and Saturday; Warmer Saturday; fresh north winds becoming variable.

Port Calendar—July 10.

Sun Rises.....4:51 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:18 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 31 min.
High water at Southport 4:10 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 6:40 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. L. Southerland, of Laurinburg, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. W. E. Phipps, of Goldsboro, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. A. J. Crampton, of Charlotte, was in the city yesterday on business.

—Mr. V. M. Dorsett, of Siler City, spent yesterday in Wilmington.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McNaughton, of Boardman, N. C., were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. R. Marshburn and Mr. J. A. Lanier, Jr., of Maple Hill, were business visitors to the city yesterday.

—Miss Gladys Herring is visiting her friend, Miss Sinclair, in Fayetteville.

—Miss Alma Ellis, of Durham, is the guest of Mr. Oscar Ellis, on South Sixth street.

—Mr. I. E. Williams, of Winnabow, Brunswick county, spent yesterday in Wilmington on business.

—Miss Barnard Baker, of Savannah, Ga., is visiting her friend, Miss Carrie White, No. 113 Chesnut street.

—Mrs. O. D. Thomas and Miss Kate Durham, of Durham, were registered at The Seashore Hotel yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Carter and child, of Fairmont, are guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jones, of Carthage, are spending some time at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.

—Misses Elma and Willie Dove, of Rocky Mount, are the guests of Miss Gladys Twining, No. 515 North Fourth street.

—Mrs. J. R. Cohen and Miss Ruby Diamond, of Tallahassee, Fla., are guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.

—Mrs. James T. Riley, Mrs. Geo. A. Ramsey and Miss Gladys Ramsey are spending a few days on a visit to Mrs. Riley's father, Rev. W. E. Cowan.

—Mr. A. G. Murphy, of Jacksonville, Fla., has been visiting his mother on Grace street several days. He returned home yesterday.

—Mrs. C. D. Gilbert and children left yesterday morning for Lena, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. John Hair for a few days.

—Miss Harris, of Savannah, Ga., Mrs. G. R. Ward, Mr. D. L. Wells and Mr. L. N. Boney, of Wallace, were among the arrivals yesterday at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.

—Mrs. Starr P. Walter of Cincinnati, Ohio, a granddaughter of Mr. B. G. Worth, accompanied by her little daughter, were in the city yesterday on their way to Wrightsville Beach where they will spend some time.

—Professor L. McNeill, of Kenansville, is spending a few days in the city. He says the prospects are very bright for a most successful opening of both the Grove Academy, of which he is principal, and of James Sprunt Institute at Kenansville.

—Mr. W. A. Blizzard, of Dillon, S. C., who has been attending the Hardware Dealers' Convention, returned home last night. He was formerly a resident of Wilmington and has many friends here who were pleased to greet him.

—Miss Carrie Barker, of Baltimore, who has been spending the past Winter in Wilmington with Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Harper, has returned home. She was accompanied to Baltimore by Miss Jessie Harper, who will spend some time with her grandparents there.

—Mrs. Stephen Wall and Miss Johnsie Wall, of Rockingham, N. C., are guests at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach. Miss Wall was the official stenographer for the Hardware Association meeting and received many fine expressions from the Association for her very capable and efficient work.

—Charlotte Observer: "Mrs. M. M. Murphy will leave in a few days for Wrightsville to spend a while.——Miss Estelle Vernon leaves Saturday for Wrightsville Beach.——Miss Helen Liddell left yesterday for Wrightsville to spend a while at the beach.——Mrs. H. L. Adams is among those who will leave Saturday for the beach at Wrightsville.——Mr. and Mrs. Carey W. Butt will leave Monday for Wrightsville Beach.——Mrs. J. H. Wearn is among the Charlotte residents who are visitors at Wrightsville."

Valued Same as Gold.

B. G. Stewart, a merchant of Cedar View, Miss., says: "I tell my customers when they buy a box of Dr. King's New Life Pills they get the worth of that much gold in weight, if afflicted with constiuation, malaria or billousness." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 25c.

The rush at Gaylord's for 10-cent wash fabric for six cents is great.
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LOCAL DOTS.

—Walter Shaw was indicted in Justice Bornemann's court yesterday for assault and battery on Ben Chadwick. The evidence was not sufficient to justify the charge and Chadwick was taxed with the cost.

—The following deeds were recorded yesterday: J. W. Gaskill and wife to Hanover Building & Loan Association, lot 33x132 feet, on Fourth street, 132 feet south of Dawson. Benjamin Dickinson and wife to trustees of Order of Love and Charity, tract of land, containing 25 acres in Masonboro township.

CROWD OF EXCURSIONISTS

Five Hundred From Durham Invaded Wilmington Yesterday—Return.

The drenching showers in the forenoon yesterday indicated a most disagreeable trip for the five hundred excursionists who invaded Wilmington and its surrounding pleasure resorts from Durham, N. C., but fortunately for the many pleasure-seekers the rain subsided shortly before the train containing eight full coaches reached here at 1:15 o'clock, over the Coast Line, coming by way of Fayetteville.

The excursion was under the auspices of Trinity Methodist Sunday School, of that city, and was under the personal direction of Mr. S. H. Reams, general passenger agent of the Durham and Southern, and Mr. L. S. Christian, the veteran excursionists, who has conducted many similar trips from Durham to this city. Under the same management another excursion will be run from Durham to Wilmington about the first of August, which will be for a sojourn of two days.

A goodly number of the excursionists flocked to Wrightsville Beach, where surf bathing proved most popular among them and there they enjoyed dinner served in picnic style. In spite of the prevailing bad weather the trip was pronounced a most pleasant and satisfactory one in every particular. The excursionists were allowed only a few hours, the train being scheduled to leave at 7 o'clock and shortly after 5 o'clock the large party began to return to the city, spending the remainder of their time viewing the business section.

On account of the heavy rains in the morning, which covered a radius of seventy-five miles of Wilmington, several dangerous washouts resulted between this city and Fayetteville, one in particular at Currie, the track being in such a bad condition that it was reported unsafe for trains to pass. In order to avoid delay arrangements were made to run the train by Goldsboro and Dunn to its destination.

HEAVY DOWNPOUR OF RAIN

More Than Three and a Half Inches Yesterday Morning—An Accident.

From 7 to 1:30 o'clock yesterday the Weather Bureau at Wilmington officially recorded a rainfall of a little over three and a half inches. The downpour was the heaviest of the Summer and streets and sidewalks in places were washed badly. At the residence of Mr. C. H. Thompson, on South Front street, the water ran in such volume in his backyard as to completely undermine the entire surface and about noon, Mr. Thompson, who was taking a survey of the premises suddenly found himself up to his armpits in mud and slush. This was the only accident reported, though Mr. Thompson was not seriously injured.

Wash-outs on the A. & Y. Railroad caused a delay of six hours in the arrival of the Fayetteville train and necessitated detouring the Durham excursion via Goldsboro, while all trains arriving in the afternoon and evening were a little late on account of the necessity for proceeding cautiously over the roadbed. A postal card from Mr. E. D. Pearsall yesterday afternoon stated that the rain was the hardest known for years at Rocky Point; that the town was wet by an overwhelming majority and that all the rural carriers were water bound on account of high winds and bridges washed away.

DEATH IN PENDER COUNTY.

Mrs. Robert C. Finke at the Home of Her Brother.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Burgaw, N. C., July 8.—Mrs. Robert C. Finke, of Long Creek, died at the home of her brother, Mr. Grattan Williams, near Long Creek, Tuesday night about 11 o'clock. She had been in ill health for something over twelve months, and during her latter days was an intense sufferer. Mrs. Finke had been a member of the Keith Presbyterian church for nearly 25 years and the funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. W. M. Sikes, from the residence of Mr. Grattan Williams, at 3 o'clock Wednesday evening, and her body was laid to rest in the family burying ground nearby. Her maiden name was Emily Q. Williams, she having been married to Mr. Robert C. Finke, of Germany, who died about eight years ago. Two sons survive them, Otto G., and Robert C. Finke, who have the sincere sympathy of a large number of friends in their great sorrow. The high esteem in which she was held was shown by the large number of friends who gathered at the home to pay their last respects to the deceased. The bereaved family has the heart-felt sympathy of all who know them.

Interesting For Householders.

A demonstration of the celebrated "Muresco" will be given this morning at the store of the N. Jacobi Hardware Co., on South Front street, commencing at 10 o'clock. The demonstrator will be Mr. Hasselman, representing the Benjamin Moore & Co., and the exhibition should be interesting to all householders in the city.

A Californian's Luck.

"The luckiest day of my life was when I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve;" writes Charles F. Budahn, of Tracy, California. "Two 25c. boxes cured me of an annoying case of itching piles, which had troubled me for years and that yielded to no other treatment." Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

IN ASHEVILLE NEXT

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have loaned to us their good will and inspiration.

"Resolved: That this Association extend sincere thanks to the management of the Seashore and Tarrymoore Hotels and their corps of assistants for their many courtesies and accommodations to us."

Banquet Last Night.

The crowning feature of the entire convention sessions was the banquet last night, many ladies having lent their presence to the splendor of the general surroundings. The banquet began at 9 o'clock, and more than a hundred guests were in attendance, including many of the Wilmington dealers and visitors on the beach. Mr. W. W. Watt, of Charlotte, who is one of the most prominent members of the Association, presided as toastmaster and filled the exacting duties of that position with infinite taste and skill. The menu embraced all the tempting edibles of the season and was as follows:

Martini Cocktail.
Broiled Spanish Mackerel
Pommes Juliene
Olives Gerkins
Soft Shell Crabs on Toast
Chilled Tomatoes Iced Cucumbers
Devil Crabs in Cases
Shrimp Potato Salad
Mayonaise Dressing
St. Juliene Punch
Wafers Coffee
Cheese
Cigarettes Nurica Cigars

The responses were all exceptionally happy and sparkling with wit and humor. Mr. E. Walker Duval, of Cheraw, S. C., the president-elect, responded to the toast "Our Organization." Mr. W. P. Lewis, of Huntington, Pa., representing the National Hardware Mutual Fire Insurance Co., told "How to Make Your Membership Effective," and Mrs. J. H. Bennett, of Clio, S. C., responded to "The Hardware Retailer." Mr. M. L. Corey, of Argos, Ind., secretary of the National Retail Hardware Association, quite fully answered the question: "Do Hardware Exhibits Pay?" and a large number of other members made very happy impromptu responses. Mr. W. J. Craig, General Passenger Traffic Manager of the Atlantic Coast Line, was expected to be present and respond to "The Railroads," but he was called out of the city and regretted his inability to be in attendance. The banquet was pronounced by quite everyone in attendance a magnificent affair.

The banquet was elegantly served by the Seashore hotel and the affair passed off delightfully. William Brown headed the corps of colored waiters, who did their work with consummate skill.

The visitors will begin leaving this morning for their homes in different parts of the two States from which they came, while many others will remain at the seashore to enjoy the ocean pleasures a few days longer. The Wilmington meeting has been a highly successful one in every respect and the city was glad to have had such a distinguished body of men in its midst.

GUFFEY DEPOSED.

As Pennsylvania's Member of the Democratic National Committee.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Denver, Colo., July 9.—The defeat of Col. J. M. Guffey, of Pittsburg, National Committeeman from Pennsylvania, as a candidate for re-election, was accomplished by the faction headed by James Kerr, of Clearfield, at a meeting held in the convention auditorium today immediately following the adjournment of the first session of the convention. Col. Guffey and his followers left the hall and refused to participate in the caucus. James Kerr was elected National Committeeman, 41 1-2 votes being cast for and none against him. D. C. DeWitt, a delegate, declined to vote, stating that he doubted the regularity of the proceedings.

The caucus was held on the floor of the convention by the anti-Guffey delegates without leaving their seats after the convention adjourned. The Guffey supporters deserted quietly and the balance of the meeting proceeded quietly and without incident.

No announcement has been made by Colonel Guffey or his followers as to whether they intend to contest the validity of today's action of the delegation. Some of those who voted in the meeting in convention hall today were alternates and substitutes for delegates not present.

JUDGE GRAY NOT A CANDIDATE

Repeats He Would Not Accept Nomination For Vice President.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Wilmington, Del., July 9.—Despite the absolute quality of his refusal to accept a nomination for Vice President at the hands of the Democratic National convention, Judge George Gray continues to receive communications in reference to the subject. Answering some inquiries today Judge Gray stated that he had received no letter from Henry Watterson, of Louisville, pleading with him to accept the nomination for Vice President, as had been reported, but that he had received last Friday a telegram from the veteran editor urging him to acquiesce in the proposition. He replied, as he had replied to the Associated Press, that he would "under no conceivable circumstances accept such a nomination should it be made." This he says is still his attitude and will be unalterably to the end.

Senor Veloz-Goiticoa, the Venezuelan charge d'affaires in Washington, last afternoon called at the State Department and presented to Acting Secretary Bacon his letters of recall. This action was taken by direction of President Castro as the result of the withdrawal from Caracas of Jacob Sleeper, the American charge. The effect of the action is the complete rupture of relations between America and Venezuela.

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It will pay you to call and examine for yourself. We could not begin to tell you here of the many things that will be on sale.

We will have on sale one lot of fine fancy cotton warp matting, 25c quality, assorted colors, for..... 19c

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New lot of fancy feathers and wings just received. Fine assortment for summer hat trimmings. All trimmed hats at about one-half off.

Special Notice to Our Many Customers:

Our trimmer, Miss Sarah Gardner, will be at our store for some time yet before taking her usual vacation, and will be pleased to have you call on her for any information you may desire.

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WARM WIRELETS.

Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., gave birth to a son late Wednesday at the Rockefeller summer home at Bar Harbor, Me. This is the third child, the others being a boy and a girl.

Commander Peary's ship, the Roosevelt, arrived in the lower harbor of New Bedford, Mass early Wednesday morning and dropped anchor off Clark's Point. She came to take on whale boats, whaling supplies, and a quantity of supplies for the medicine chest.

The bodies of all the known victims of the flood at Lincoln, Neb., on Monday have been recovered. Search for further supposed victims is going on. The railroad service is improving, but it will take several days to restore it to normal.

Practically all the loss of $1,500,000 caused by the fire which destroyed almost a quarter of a mile of the water front of East Boston Wednesday will fall upon the insurance companies those taking marine risks as well as the companies which insure against fire.

According to advices received at Paris from Washington, William H. Taft, recently announced to certain of his friends his purpose if elected President of the United States of appointing George Von L. Meyer at present Postmaster General to be his Secretary of State.

The principals, seconds, managers and club officials, who participated in a prize fight between Jim Barry, of Chicago, and Jim Flynn of Pueblo, at Wayside Athletic Club, Petersburg, Wednesday night were arrested immediately after the conclusion of the bout on the charge of aiding and abetting a prize fight. They were at once released on $500. Petersburg, where the fight was held, is in Areopo county, adjoining Denver.

The bridge under construction over the Rhine at Cologne fell in yesterday and many of the workmen engaged on the structure lost their lives. Up to noon fourteen bodies had been recovered and nine men have been taken from the water seriously injured. The scaffolding supporting the powerful crane used in the erection of the central span of the bridge collapsed and the crashing down of this section carried with it several other spans.

Directors of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company yesterday declared a semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent. on the company's common stock and 2 per cent. on the preferred stock. Both dividends were unchanged from the last previous declaration. It was announced that the earnings for the year fell short of meeting the full dividend on the common stock about $1,300,000 and the difference was paid out of profit and loss surplus, leaving about $18,000,000 still to the credit of that account.

A ROMANCE OF THE SEA

A Mock Marriage on Steamer Ends in Real Union.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 9.—One of the romances of the sea came to light with the arrival here of the President Lincoln of the Hamburg-American Line when the announcement was made that there will be a marriage between Miss Elbling Steinbruck and John Holzeeg, both passengers on the steamship. Miss Steinbruck is a native of West Prussia while her fiance owns and cultivates a farm near Edwardsville, Illinois. The young woman went to Passaic, N. J., to stay with friends until the marriage.

On Monday last there was a carnival on the President Lincoln, one of the features being a mock marriage between Miss Steinbruck and Mr. Holzeeg. Following the ceremony Mr. Holzeeg become very attentive to his mock-wife with the result that their real marriage was arranged. Miss Steinbruck learned to speak English in Germany.

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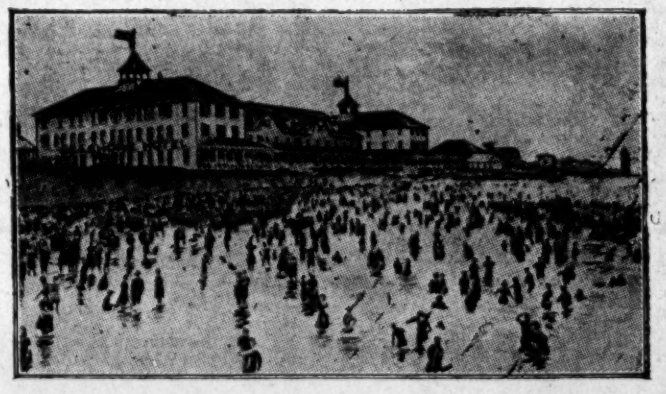

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THE INJUNCTION PLANK

What the Democratic Party is Expected to Declare on This and Kindred Subjects in its National Platform.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Denver, July 9.—Following is the full and correct text of the injunction plank as adopted by the full sub-committee of the committee on resolutions and as it is expected to be incorporated in the platform:

"The courts of justice are the bulwark of our liberties and we yield to none in our purpose to maintain their dignity. Our party has given to the bench a long line of distinguished judges who have added to the respect and confidence in which this department must be jealousy maintained. We resent the attempt of the Republican party to raise a false issue respecting the judiciary. It is an unjust reflection upon a great body of our citizens to assume that they lack respect for the courts.

It is the function of the courts to interpret the laws which the people create and if the laws appear to work economic, social or political injustice it is our duty to change them. The only basis upon which the integrity of our courts can stand is that of unswerving justice and protection of business, personal liberty and property. If judicial processes may be abused we should guard them against abuse.

"Experience has proved the necessity of a modification of the present law relating to injunctions and we reiterate the pledge of our national platforms of 1896 and 1904 in favor of the measure which passed the United States Senate in 1896, but which a Republican Congress has ever since refused to enact, relating to contempts in Federal Courts and providing for trial by jury in cases of indirect contempt.

"Questions of judicial practice have arisen, especially in connection with industrial disputes. We deem that the parties to all judicial proceedings should be treated with rigid impartiality and that injunctions should not issue in any cases in which injunctions would not issue if no industrial dispute were involved.

The expanding organization of industry makes it essential that there should be no abridgement of the right of wage earners and producers to organize for the protection of wages and the improvement of labor conditions to the end that such labor organizations and their members should be regarded as illegal combinations in restraint of trade.

"We favor the eight hour day on all Government work.

"We pledge the Democratic party to the enactment of a law by Congress, as far as the Federal jurisdiction extends, for a general employers' liability act covering injury to body or loss of life of employes.

"We pledge the Democratic party to the enactment of a law creating a department of labor, represented separately in the President's Cabinet, which department shall include the subject of mines and mining.

The railroad plank as adopted by the full committee is as follows:

"We assert the right of Congress to exercise complete control over inter-State commerce and the right of each State to exercise just as complete control over commerce within its borders.

"We demand such enlargement of the powers of the inter-State Commerce Commission as may be necessary to enable it to protect persons and places from discrimination and extortion and to compel the railroads to perform their duties as common carriers. We favor the efficient supervision and rate regulation of railroads engaged in Inter-State commerce. To this end we recommend the physical valuation of the railroads by the Inter-State Commerce Commission, such valuation to take into consideration the original cost of construction and all elements of value that will render the valuation made fair and just. We favor such legislation as will prohibit the railroad from engaging in business which brings them into competition with their shippers, also explanation which will assure such reduction in transportation rates as conditions will permit, care being taken to avoid reduction that would compel a reduction of wages, prevent adequate service or do injustice to legitimate investments.

"We heartily approve the laws prohibiting the pass and the rebate and favor any further necessary legislation to restrain, correct and prevent such abuses."

THE LAST MEETING

Of The Old Democratic National Committee—Resolutions Adopted.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Denver, Colo., July 9.—The retiring Democratic National committee held its final meeting this morning with almost a complete attendance, Chairman Thomas Taggart presiding. Committeeman M. J. Wade, of Iowa, offered a resolution extending the thanks of the committee to its several officers, to "those who have aided them in the performance of their duties."

Chairman Taggart responded in appropriate vein, on behalf of himself and his fellow officers, announcing that an opportunity would be found if possible for a gathering of the old and new national committees to meet in a social way.

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FASHIONABLE THIEF

New York Young Man of Society Who Made a Living Robbing Hotel Guests—Caught in the Act. Confession of Many Crimes.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 9.—A youth of 20 years, who described himself as Nathan Levine, a student of languages and the son of a retired manufacturer, and who told the police he had robbed nearly every first-class hotel in this city during the past few weeks, was captured in a room on the 14th floor of the Hotel Belmont today after he had bound a woman in bed and was about to loot the apartment. When the prisoner was searched the police found one of the most complete outfits for use in sneak thievery that ever came into their possession. It consisted of two revolvers, a box of red pepper, a dagger, two electric lanterns and a number of vials containing sleep producing lotions. The police say the young man made no attempt to conceal his guilt and told them frankly of a dozen other robberies in which he had been involved. He intimated that it was to raise funds to enable him to keep up appearances before a certain young woman that caused him to turn to a career of crime. He refused to divulge the girl's name, however, and begged the police not to question him about her.

Levine went to the Belmont yesterday afternoon and, after registering under another name, asked to be assigned to a room near a fire escape. He was strikingly dressed in a cream colored flannel shirt, wore much jewelry and appeared to be well supplied with money. Early this morning Mrs. Mostyn Cookson, who with her husband, Major Cookson, of the First Royal Suffolk regiment, occupied the room adjoining that of Levine on the 14th floor of the hotel, was awakened by a sudden flash of light in her face. A revolver pressed against her forehead kept her silent until her hands had been bound, but as the unwelcome visitor was about to press a gag into her mouth she screamed. Her husband who had been sleeping in a bed at the other side of the room and who had not been seen by the robber, sprang on Levine before he could turn around and bore him to the floor.

The men were fighting desperately when hotel employes, who had been attracted by the commotion, came to Cookson's assistance. A moment later the police came.

When Levine was arraigned in court the managers of several hotels appeared and told of recent robberies in their houses. Major Cookson also told of his experience with Levine and said the young man had secured jewelry valued at $2,000 in his room before he was captured.

GUFFEY THE STORM CENTER

Bryan Men Anxious to Escape Test Vote on Pennsylvania Contest.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Denver, Colo., July 9.—Colonel Guffey, who was the storm center of last night's fight on the floor of the convention, was in early consultation with his lieutenants today and with the elements outside the delegation who saw in last night's vote a remaining chance to overcome the Bryan strength. He would not discuss the vote in detail, but seemed to think that while it demonstrated a heavy current of opposition to the plans of those controlling the convention, Mr. Bryan might develop greater strength on a Presidential ballot than he did on the question last night. But the total of 439 votes inspired the allied opposition with new hopes.

It developed in this connection that a strong effort was made to avoid the vote of last night, as the Bryan managers desired not to have an issue which would disclose the strength of the two contending elements. The Guffey men said that the report on credentials was delayed a full hour while overtures were made to Colonel Guffey not to present the minority report, thus avoiding a division and an open vote. According to the Guffey men, distinct overtures were made to the Pennsylvania leader to secure this end, namely that he should remain as national committeeman from Pennsylvania but while this would have insured his continued leadership it is said that Colonel Guffey flatly refused to consider the proposition as it involved the sacrifice of Philadelphia's delegates for whom he had contended. The Guffey men are confident that the overtures designed to avoid a vote came as a result of a conference of the Bryan men at Lincoln.

BASE BALL

Virginia League.

At Norfolk, 1; Roanoke, 2.
At Portsmouth, 3; Danville, 2.
At Richmond, 5; Lynchburg, 4.

American League.

At Washington, 3; Chicago, 5.
At New York, 8; Detroit, 10.
At Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 5
At Boston, 1; Cleveland, 4.

National League.

At Chicago, 4; Brooklyn, 3.
At Pittsburg, 2; Pohiladelphia, 5.
At Cincinnati, 1; New York, 2.
At St. Louis, 2; Boston, 11.

South Atlantic League.

At Charleston, 2; Savannah, 1 (12 innings.)
At Columbia, 2; Macon, 3.
At Augusta, Jacksonville, rain.

Southern League.

At New Orleans, 0; Atlanta, 4.
At Memphis, 11; Montgomery, 0.
At Mobile, 0; Nashville 0 (17 innings.)

Carolina League.

At Greenville, 4; Anderson, 1.
At Greensboro, 3; Winston-Salem, 8.
At Charlotte-Spartanburg, rain.

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Romance of a Geranium Leaf.

By MARY W. MOUNT.

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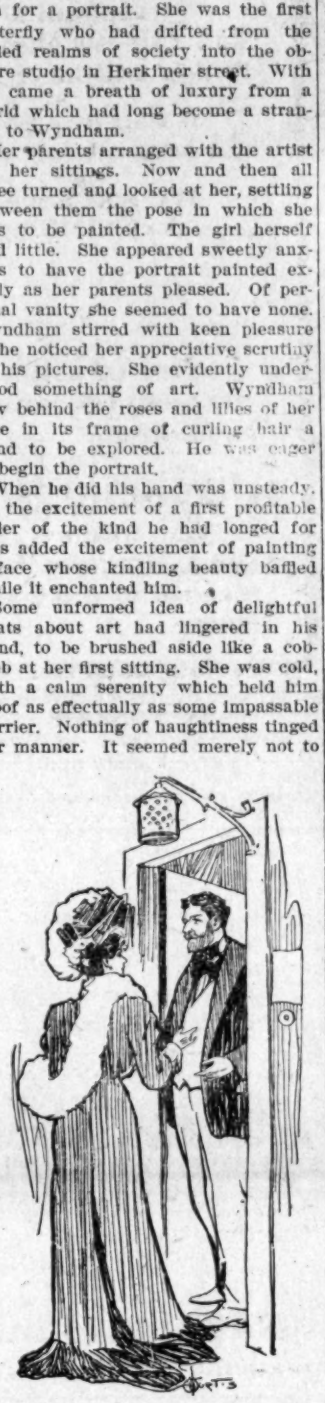
His friends declared that Herbert Wyndham would one day be recognized as a great artist. "Genius will out," they insisted, grieving secretly over the undisguisable poverty which clung to man and studio.

They were jubilant in this declaration when Miss Ruth Greville sat to him for a portrait. She was the first butterfly who had drifted from the gilded realms of society into the obscure studio in Herkimer street. With her came a breath of luxury from a world which had long become a stranger to Wyndham.

Her parents arranged with the artist for her sittings. Now and then all three turned and looked at her, settling between them the pose in which she was to be painted. The girl herself said little. She appeared sweetly anxious to have the portrait painted exactly as her parents pleased. Of personal vanity she seemed to have none. Wyndham stirred with keen pleasure as he noticed her appreciative scrutiny of his pictures. She evidently understood something of art. Wyndham saw behind the roses and lilies of her face in its frame of curling hair a mind to be explored. He was eager to begin the portrait.

When he did his hand was unsteady. To the excitement of a first profitable order of the kind he had longed for was added the excitement of painting a face whose kindling beauty baffled while it enchanted him.

Some unformed idea of delightful chats about art had lingered in his mind, to be brushed aside like a cobweb at her first sitting. She was cold, with a calm serenity which held him aloof as effectually as some impassable barrier. Nothing of haughtiness tinged her manner. It seemed merely not to



"WON'T YOU COME TO SEE ME?" SHE ASKED SIMPLY.

occur to her that any social intercourse could exist between an aristocrat of Elmwood avenue and a dweller in this small studio at the top of three flights of dingy stairs. Her very youth took off the sting of this insolence of wealth, she was so entirely unconscious of it.

Perhaps this impalpable barrier of reserve might have been brushed aside to some extent had Wyndham been less sensitive to it. He met her unresponsiveness with like reserve, her uncommunicativeness with silence.

But as he painted in the lines of her graceful figure and the bloom of her face grew under his hand upon the canvas he was acutely conscious of every lovely contour and tint, madly rebellious that this girl, with her wide, intellectual brow and soft, sympathetic eyes, never vouchsafed him a single unnecessary word, never looked his way with an even momentary sympathy.

"Your hair baffles me!" he declared one day, laying down his brush. Something in his tone startled her. "Are artists always so intense?" she asked herself.

She raised her hand to the ripples of her pale brown hair, where golden lights shifted and changed with a warm glow as alluring as it was impossible to express. Her violet eyes widened.

"Shall I change my position?" she asked.

He rushed into an explanation of the difficulty of painting light in hair. She looked interested, but made no comment.

Wyndham saw what her observant eyes noted every makeshift in the studio. It hurt him to feel that she comprehended every particle of the poverty of his life. This hurt the more when, toward the last, he thought that he surprised a look of pity in her eyes.

He hardly expected her to tell him at parting that she meant to send all her friends to him to be painted because he did it so beautifully. But she did, and she kept her word. Wyndham's friends said that luck had come to him in a golden spoon.

To Wyndham, sitting alone in his studio poring over a delicate sketch of a beautiful girl with eyes of tenderest sympathy and golden lights in her curling hair, luck seemed to have departed. All that was left to those weeks of poignant emotion was this secret sketch of a girl whose soft eyes looked into his with an expression which the living eyes had never worn, this and a leaf of rose geranium which she had dropped upon the floor. She had missed it when she left, for he saw her glance at her dress and then about her, as though seeking something. In a little memorandum book in an inside pocket he kept it, where he could peep at it whenever he jotted in a date or looked up a reference.

One day the glory of life seemed to flood his world again, for Ruth Greville came to his studio. A charity bazaar was to be held, and she had charge of the art table. She wanted a picture for it, and she thought he might contribute some little sketch. He promised more than that. He would superintend the erection of her stall and decorate it himself. She wondered at his enthusiasm. When he refused payment for the work she was embarrassed. This had not been what she intended. Nor did she realize till long afterward that a busy artist could not spend two days overseeing the erection and decoration of the most beautiful booth in the bazaar without some pecuniary loss.

She was charmed with his work and unbent to be gracious, although she had first cast a startled glance at the distinguished looking man in evening clothes who approached her when Wyndham became a purchaser at her stall.

Because he read her thought so well he made but a small purchase there, a trifle decorated by her own hands. She saw him spend freely at another booth.

After that Wyndham removed to a better studio. He would try to forget her, he told himself. He did not succeed. Every frou-frou of silken skirts upon his stairs made his heart pound expectantly. One day she came.

He hoped she had not noticed his pallor and nervousness when he welcomed her. He feared she had, for a sort of wondering interrogation flashed over her mobile features.

She wanted to have an engagement made for some work, she said.

His hands still trembled as he pulled out his little book and turned over its pages. From between them there fluttered a rose geranium leaf. A flood of crimson rushed to his forehead. His eyes of guilty consciousness betrayed all the story of his love to her glance of swift inquiry and comprehension. He saw that she recognized the leaf, but he could not conceal the tenderness with which he picked it up.

"It was such a pretty leaf—so wonderfully formed"— he stammered apologetically.

She looked at him bravely, a flush fading from her own cheeks, and explained her errand as though the incident of the leaf had meant nothing to her. But as he wrote down a date there suddenly rushed over her the remembrance of his faithfulness, his proud dignity in poverty, his modesty in hard won success.

She paused upon the threshold and held out her hand.

"Won't you come to see me?" she asked simply. Her eyes were filled with a light he had never seen in them before. In their depths he read surrender.

"Come soon," she added tremulously, withdrawing her hand, "for I have long wanted to say this."

Malaria Causes Loss of Appetite.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

25,580 yards of 10-cent wash fabric on sale at Gaylord's for six cents per yard. **

Ten yards of long-cloth for 76 cents at Gaylord's this week. **

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to your Place of Business or Residence for Advertisements for our Business Locals Department. 'Phone the Star office, No. 51.

Rates—25 cents for each insertion of twenty-five words, or less. Additional words, more than twenty-five, one cent per word in advance.

The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for Notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charges for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for Advertisements always call the Star office, 'Phone 51.

WANTED—A young woman stenographer who has some knowledge of book-keeping. Gardner Lacey Lumber Co., Georgetown, S. C. jul 10 3t

LOST—Pug dog "Billie." Suitable reward for his return or information as to where he is. 'Phone 776 or call at or write to the Southern Sign Shop, Princess street. jul 10 tf

VANILLA ICE CREAM with fresh peaches, also lot of good drinks at the Carl B. Rehder Cany Co., where cleanliness reigns supreme. jy 10 1t

TYPEWRITERS—Rent or sale reasonably. Phone 625, or address P. O. Box 641. Typewriter Supply. jy 8-1tf

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

HOUSE WANTED—A family of four, no small children, want to rent a house of about 7 rooms in nice part of city, beginning August 1. Excellent references as to responsibility, etc., furnished. Address, giving terms, Tenant, care Star. jul 9 1t.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Core sound skiff, 22 feet long, in good condition. Good boat for 5 h. p. gasoline engine. Can be seen at Dock street wharf today. Owned by C. E. Rogers. jul 10 1t*

THERE WILL BE an important meeting of the Governing Board, together with Cape Fear Chapter, U. D. C., at the W. L. I. armory Monday, July 20th, at 6 o'clock. By order of the president, Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, secretary. jul 10 fri su we su

NEW SERIES B. and L. Stock (the 36th) now open. Mechanics' Home Association. Walker Taylor, president; W. M. Cumming, secretary and treasurer. jy 9-3t.

FOR SALE—Lot 66x150 feet (with three buildings), located northwest corner Market and 15th streets and lot (with one-story dwelling), southwest corner of Castle and Sixth streets. Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street, 'phone 766. jy 9-tf

OFFICES FOR RENT—In the Garrell Building, southwest corner Princess and Second streets. Splendid location, steam heat, electric and gas lights and elevator. Call at building or on Smith & Lord, 114 Princess street. jy 9-tf

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STEADY GROWTH and good returns to stockholders have been our record. We are working to make the future still better. New series August 1st. People's Building & Loan Association. Wm. F. Robertson, president; D. R. Foster, secretary and treasurer, 206 Princess street. jy 9-tf

ANNOUNCEMENT—We beg to inform all users of machineries oils, and particularly automobiles oils, that we have made special arrangements with Mr. A. N. Dubois, the analytical chemist, office Worth Building, Wilmington, N. C., to show you our complete line of machineries and automibile oils, give you prices and take your orders. The quality of our oils is the very best and the price as low as can be made. A trial sample order will convince you. O. F. Zurn Co., manufacturers and wholesale dealers, office and works, Broad and Lehigh Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. jun 21 1m

FOR RENT—A large airy front room, suitable for one or two gentlemen. New house, new furniture, privilege of bath hot and cold water. Telephone, electric lights and situated on car line. Address "Room" P. O. Box 800. jul 4-1w.

WANTED AT ONCE—One hundred old and young foxes. W. T. Hughes, Chase City, Va. jun 28 12t

FOR SALE—Ford Runabout, in A1 condition. Complete equipment, top, lamps, exterior, etc. Will sell for a bargain or exchange for Coast Line or bank stock. Address Room 15, Garrell Bldg., 'phone 1631. jul 4-tf.

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WANTED—A middle-aged woman for house-keeper. One who is capable of taking care of several small children. Give name and address. Address "A. B. C." care of Star. jy 8-1w*

BRICK, BRICK, BRICK—The Cronly Brick Company is prepared to fill all orders for brick on short notice. Phone 84. Yards on Water, between Princess and Chesnut streets. may 19-tf

POOL ROOM, Cigars, Tobacco and the finest fountain in the city. Our friends are asked to note the change in our business. We are prepared to furnish the public with the best in our line. D. L. T. Capps, proprietor of Candycapps, 123 Princess street. jul 1 tf

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Lv. Columbia.....11:15 P. M.
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IT KILLS THE BUG.

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NEW SERIES OF STOCK.

The Clarendon Savings & Loan Association, will open its 33rd Series of Stock on Saturday the 4th day of July 1908. Stock can be had any day upon application to the Secretary and Treasurer. This association has matured fifteen series and the 16th will mature in August. Subscribe now in this old and reliable association.

S. P. COLLIER,
Secretary and Treasurer.
D. C. LOVE, President.
Office No. 17 Princess street.
jun 23-1m.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Lexington, July 8.—Three burglaries here within a week have set the folks to looking up tighter and oiling their shooting irons. John McCulloh, jeweler, Springs Hardware Company, and Henderson Essick, refreshment man, are the victims and property worth about $100 has been stolen.

—Newbern Journal: It is reported that the watermelon crop of Bogue Sound section will be almost a failure this season. Too much rain is given as the cause, which drowned the plants, while young. A good many patches, it is said, have been plowed up and planted in corn. The melon is the big money crop of that section.

—Fairmont Messenger: We are glad to welcome Dr. W. H. McMurray, who comes to our town for the practice of his profession. He recently graduated with high honors, and received his medical license at the recent State meeting of the Medical Society which was held at Winston-Salem.

—Greenville, S. C., July 8.—There were no bidders again on the bankrupt Huguenot Mill at the sale today, the upset price being $60,000. The Mill's power house and cottages were sold separately and brought good prices. Another date will be ordered for the sale of the mill.

—Kinston Free Press: The white man, W. B. Green, who was arrested several days ago in Newbern, charged with running a blind tiger in a house boat in which he plied the waters of Neuse and Trent rivers, was tried before Magistrate Hines yesterday. Of about twenty-five witnesses summoned from Fort Barnwell and other places to testify against him, not one could swear to purchasing any liquor from him. One man—an old negro from Newbern—testified that he had bought liquor from Green and upon that evidence he was bound over to court, in the sum of $200. The bond was given.

—Kinston Free Press. Emmett Hawkins, a young white man, of Kinston was crushed to death Monday afternoon about 5 o'clock by the cave-in of an excavation in which he had been working at the Kinston Cotton Mills. Hawkins, with two other men, was digging sand to be used in mixing mortar for the erection of a brick chimney for the mill. The hole was about nine feet deep where he was working. One bank caved in, crushing him against the opposite bank. Though he was submerged only to his arm pits he was killed almost instantly.

—Newbern Sun: Lightning played queer pranks in Woodbury during the storm last night. One bolt entered the front door of a dwelling owned by H. B. Beardsley, tore out a window and hurled the tenant of the house, William Shaw, out onto the back veranda without injuring him in the least. The family sewing machine was moved from the parlor into the dining room but Mrs. Shaw says she wanted it there anyway. To add to its good work, the lightning killed thousands of elm tree beetles which were turning the old town's majestic trees into barren stumps.

—Charlotte Observer: Captain Roy A. Page, of Company "D," First North Carolina National Guard, received a letter from Adjutant General Robertson yesterday in which he states that no proof was filed in his office to substantiate the charge that several of the members of Company "D" were guilty of misconduct at Monroe a month or so ago while en route to Fort Caswell to participate in sea coast maneuvres under direction of the War Department. The letter in full follows: "Captain Roy A. Page, Company "D", First Infantry: Sir: Referring to your letter of July 3rd, I have the honor to advise you that not a particle of proof has been filed in this office in support of charges against your company for alleged misconduct at Monroe. I, therefore, believe the statements were false as reported to the Governor, and that your men were innocent of the charges Very respectfully, Thomas R. Robertson, Adjutant General."

—Greensboro Telegram: The local office of the Southern Express Company has some express matter that is giving the employes no little uneasiness. It consists of about twenty snakes shipped here from Brownsville, Texas to T. Jernigan. Mr. Jernigan refused to take them on the ground of excessive express charges. The company's bill indicated a pardonable antipathy to snakes and was $17 or thereabouts. The snakes came in two boxes—one tremendous rattler being alone in one of the boxes. In the other box, one of the snakes died, his decaying body giving off such an offensive odor that it became necessary to get it out of the way. Yesterday afternoon a large box with wire net top was rigged up and all of the snakes except the dead one were dumped into it, the work of getting the snakes into the box being watched with interest by a number of people. The company will sell the snakes if a fair price is offered for them. Otherwise the snakes will be killed.

It Reached the Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

A DEBATE ON PRIMITIVE MAN.

[Original.]

Professor Edmonds was so wrapped in the study of primitive man, his origin and the savage traits he transmitted to his descendants, that he had no eyes, ears or any other perceptive organs for anything else. Indeed, he was more familiar with the gibbon, orang outang, chimpanzee and gorilla, man's nearest relatives, than the members of his own family. Absorbed in dreams of these kinsmen he would pass his own children on the street without recognizing them.

Kate Edmonds alone of all his children sympathized with him in his studies and was consequently his favorite. Kate worshiped her father, and it is questionable if her enthusiasm for fossils was not assumed for the purpose of pleasing the dear old man. At any rate, when she was eleven years old her mother met her one morning on the street with a necklace of bones around her neck and ordered her to go home and take off "the horrid" thing.

As Kate grew older she joined her father in his studies and on one occasion delighted him by discovering a similarity in the big toe bone of two animals which he had previously considered to belong to different species. From this time forth he made her an assistant instead of a pupil, and she worked with him continuously.

But, unfortunately for her father, Kate became a woman. Not that the professor noticed a change which occurred in a brief season. He took no note of changes except those that only ages could effect. When Kate took his hand and told him that she was about to be married he was thunderstruck. "What have you done with your doll?" he moaned.

Kate went with her husband to live in a distant city. For a brief season after her departure the professor's bones failed to interest him. Then some one sent him a bone of an animal unlike anything he had ever seen, and straightway the old man forgot his daughter in his efforts to construct the creature of which it had been a part. After that the only evidence that he remembered her at all was occasional inquiries why she was not in her seat at table.

At the end of a year Kate wrote her mother that she was coming home for a visit, but asked her not to inform her father, since she wished to surprise him. Kate arrived at the commencement season and at the hour when the president was holding a reception, with Professor Edmonds in attendance. So Kate arrayed herself in reception costume, went over to the president and, taking position behind a portiere in a room adjoining the one where her father was, began to talk prehistoric man in his hearing.

"Upon my word," said the professor, "there is a lady in there who knows more about the tertiary period than any woman I have ever heard talk. But she is making one egregious blunder. Introduce me to her."

The professor was introduced to his daughter, but whether he had forgotten her entirely or was too deeply engrossed in his subject to recognize her or had on his reading instead of his distance glasses doesn't matter. He plunged right into the work of correcting her error.

"I heard you say, madam," he began, "that evidences of the existence of man's progenitors are not found in the tertiary period. During the eocine system, a division of the tertiary, several orders of mammals were developed, including the ancestors of lemurs, monkeys, anthropoid or manlike apes."

"But these are only the germs, so to speak, not man himself," Kate replied.

"There is no beginning, no stop in development. The anthropoid apes are simply a continuation in the development of man."

"And do you think, professor, that man of the present day will develop into something higher?"

"Undoubtedly—that is, if our planet is not in the meanwhile knocked into dust or burned by concussion at meeting some one of those opaque bodies known to be plunging through space."

"Or a comet," said Kate, with a twinkle in her eye.

"Nonsense, madam. Comets are gaseous. The earth has passed through their tails often."

"To return to man—man in his parent stage of development. What would you think of a father who would forget his own child?"

"Such a failure of the faculty of memory would undoubtedly be inherited from his brutish ancestors. We have no evidence that lions, tigers, cats, dogs and other brutes remember their cubs after they are grown and have passed away from their parents."

"Do you refer to man in the present stage—to yourself, for instance—as brutal and to your child as a cub?"

"By no means. I have passed the brute condition, but now and again traits, like rudiments of organs that have ages ago become useless and degenerated, must necessarily crop out."

"But if the parent forgets the child why not the child forget the parent?"

"In the brute state the only use the offspring has for the parent is food; among us the only use the child has for the parent is food, raiment and gewgaws. But while the memory of the parent becomes impaired with age that of the child"—

This was too much for Kate, who had for some time been on the eve of betraying herself. She burst into laughter, which was echoed by those who had been listening, and threw her arms about her father's neck.

The astonishment of the professor was pathetic.

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jun 26-tf.

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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 31st, 1908.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:33 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	5:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:19 pm

BETWEEN ILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 p
Ar. Flor..	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n..	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'vlle		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:25 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	4:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains No. 55 and 56 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

Administratrix Notice

I have this, the 10th day of June 1908 qualified as administratrix upon the estate of William J. Morris, late of the County of New Hanover, deceased, and hereby give notice to all person indebted to his estate to make early payments, and all persons having claims against his said estate to present them to me, duly authenticated, on or before the 10th day of June, 1908, or I shall plead this notice in bar of their recovery.

This the 10th day of June, 1908.
MARGARET A. MORRIS,
Administratrix of Wm. J. Morris.
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Wilmington to New York.
S S. "Navahoe"..Saturday June 27th.
S. S. "Carib".....Saturday, June 4th
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General Offices, Pier 36 N.R. Brch. 290
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ATLANTIC COAST LINE RAILROAD COMPANY,
Office of the Treasurer,
Wilmington, N. C., June 29, 1908.

The Board of Directors of Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared a dividend of two and one-half per cent. on the Common Capital Stock of that Company, payable at the office of the Treasurer, at Wilmington, North Carolina, on and after July 10th, 1908, to Stockholders of record on the 22nd day of June, 1908. The transfer books are closed from the 22nd day of June, 1908, at three o'clock P. M., to the 11th day of July, 1908, at ten o'clock A. M., both dates inclusive.

JAMES F. POST,
jul 2 to 10. Treasurer.

TO
THE BEACH
SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 30th, 1908.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.
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and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady 37 1-2c.

ROSIN—Market steady $2.70.

TAR—Market, firm $1.50.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $2.70 and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin quiet $3.95; tar firm $2.50; crude turpentine $3.00, $4.50 and $5.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	20
Rosin	25
Tar	30
Crude Turpentine	76

Receipts—Same day last year 126 casks spirits turpentine; 306 barrels rosin; 30 barrels tar; 170 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 11 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—287 bales, same day last year 14 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 13@14c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides dull, 11@12 1-2c.

EGGS—Dull at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 12 1-2@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35 to 38c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green, dull 4c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

COW PEAS—$1.90@$2.00 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 9.—The cotton market opened steady at an advance of 12 points on July on a small order without sellers, and was no criterion. The later position opened at an advance of 2 to 4 points which was but a partial response to an unlooked for improvement at Liverpool where the market would have met local requirements by advancing 4 to 6 points, yet at the time of the New York opening stood at an advance of 6 to 10 points. The local traders, however, continue to turn attention rather to the favorable showing still being made by the crop although here and there conditions were questioned. The weather map was generally fine, but there were official predictions of high temperature which led to some covering by smaller accounts on the ground that high temperatures, attended by dry weather would cause shedding. The larger shorts refrained from covering and later in the day the market turned easier with prices in mid-afternoon slightly under the previous day's closing. Selling was checked here, most of the day, by indications of an extended and still increasing long interest in October, partly against sales for January and March, the buyers to a considerable extent the owners of the local stock.

Nearing the close the trading became much more active and there was a quick advance of 5 to 6 points including new and old positions. This rally was started by strong accounts and some orders from New Orleans. The market closed very steady at a net advance of 2 to 5 points. Sales were estimated at 125,000 bales.

Receipts at the ports today 4,043 bales against 4,387 last week and 1,651 last year. For the week 55,000 bales against 55,633 last week and 15,802 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 1,762 bales against 136 last year and at Houston 1,249 bales against 448 last year.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands 11.20; midling gulf 11.45; no sales. Futures opened and closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Close.
July	9.50	9.43
August	9.41	9.39
September	9.35	9.33
October	9.21	9.22
November	——	9.07
December	9.05	9 08
January	9.02	9.03
February	——	9.02
March	9.02	9.02

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 11; net receipts 624.

New Orleans—Quiet and steady, 11; net receipts 1,762.

Mobile—Dull, 11; net receipts 79.

Savannah—Dull, 10 7-8; net receipts 555.

Charleston—Quiet, 11; net receipts 4.

Wilmington—Quiet, 11; net receipts 287.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11 1-2; net receipts 654.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 3-4.

New York—Quiet, 12.20.

Boston—Quiet, 11.20; net receipts 33

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.45; net receipts 17.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 4,043; Continent 457; Japan 28; stocks 251,635.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 28,330; Great Britain 7,602; France 770; Continent 8,002; Japan 159.

Total sice September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 8,260,174; Great Britain 2,857,027; France 830,029; Continent 3,252,386; Japan 190,649; Mexico 1,549.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 10 15-16; net receipts 1,249.

Augusta—Quiet, 11 1-4; net receipts 98.

Memphis—Steady, 11 3-16; net receipts 37.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 3-8; net receipts 475.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 456.

Louisville—Firm, 11 5-8.

Little Rock—Quiet, 10 3-4; net receipts 360.

Total today—Net receipts 2,675; gross receipts 4,021; shipments 3,880; sales 767; stocks 100,621.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Livrepool, July 9.—Spot cotton moderate business done, prices 5 points higher. American middling 6.90; good middling 6.54; middling 6.26; low middling 5.88; good ordinary 5.30; ordinary 4.90. Sales 7,000 bales of which 2,500 were for speculation and export and included 6,600 American. Receipts 1,000 bales including 600 American. Futures opened quiet and closed quiet and steady. American middling G O C: July 5.69 1-2; July and August 5.63 1-2; August and September 5.28 1-2; September and October 5.11; October and November 5.02; November and December 4.97 1-2; December and January 4.94 1-2; January and February 4.92 1-2; February and March 4.93; March and April 4.94; April and May 4.94 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 9.—The dry goods market ruled generally quiet. Buyers are supplying their immediate needs but show little disposition to order ahead even on the goods that must soon be placed in process. Cotton goods rule quiet and steady. Men's wear goods have not been taken freely for spring on the few lines that have been opened.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, July 9.—It was plainly to be seen that speculative liquidation was in progress in today's stock market to secure profits accrued on the considerable advance which has occurred in prices since last week. The effect of this in itself was depressing to prices. The outside buying orders attracted by yesterday's strong showing were taken advantage of to supply stocks in profit taking sales and this kind of selling re-curred pretty regularly at all favorable opportunities. The reactionary tendency of the United States Steel stocks after yesterday's brilliant display of strength was a marked restraining influence on any upward tendency elsewhere. There was obvious profit-taking going on in Union Pacific with the powerful sentimental effect on the whole list which this stock has come to have. The strong futures were not more than sufficient to balance these depressing factors. Baltimore & Ohio showed a favorable effect from the maintenance of the dividend on a 6 per cent. basis, expectation having been of a reduction at least to a 5 and perhaps to a 4 per cent. basis. The good effect on the stock was moderated by the announcement that the profit and loss surplus had been encroached upon to the extent of $1,300,000 to pay the dividend.

In the local money market return of government deposits thus far made has been offset by the government disbursement in payment of obligations and appropriations. The day's profit taking was conducted cautiously and without serious inroads on prices at any time. Whatever declines were involved were made up before the end of the day with the growing strength of the sustaining stocks in the dealings.

Bonds were firm. Total sales par value $3,864,000. United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales stocks today 642,000 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 9.—Money on call easy 1 1-4 to 1 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1 1-4, offered at 1 1-2. Time loans a shade firmer, sixty days 1 3-4 to 2 per cent., and ninety days 2 per cent., six months 3 1-2 to 3 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 to 4 1-2 per cent., sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8695 for demand and at 4.8560 to 4.8570 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills at 4.85 1-2 to 4.85 3-8. Bar silver 53 1-8. Mexican dollars 46.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	103 5-8
U. S. refunding 2s cou	103 5-8
U. S. 3s reg	100
U. S. 3s cou	100 3-4
U. S. new 4s reg	121 1-4
U. S. new 4s cou	122 1-4
American Tobacco Co. 6s	105 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	91
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	98 7-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	97 3-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	57
Southern Railway 5s b	93 1-2
U. S. Steel 5s	99

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	70 1-8
American Car & Foundry	37
American Cotton Oil Co	31 3-4
Amr. Locomotive	49 1-2
Amr. Smelting & Ref	103 1-2
Amr. Sugar Refining	127 1-4
Amr. Tobacco pfd	91 1-4
Atchison	83 1-8
Atchison pfd	92 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	91 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio	91 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	84@86
Chesapeake & Ohio	42 1-2
Erie	20 1-8
Erie 1st pfd	36 1-4
Erie 2nd pfd	25
Kansas City Southern	24
Kansas City Southern pfd	56 1-2
L. & N.	109 1-4
New York Central	105
Norfolk & Western	71
Pennsylvania	123
People's Gas	93
Reading	116 1-4
Rock Island Co.	17 1-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	30 3-8
Standard Oil	——
Southern Pacific	88 1-4
Southern Pacific pfd	117 3-4
Southern Railway	45
Southern Railway pfd	46 1-8
U. S. Steel	40 5-8
U. S. Steel pfd	107 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	24 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	100 1-4
Seaboard Air Line	——
Seaboard Air Line pfd	——
Western Union	55

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

New York, July 9.—Flour more active and firm.

Rye Flour—Barely active.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Spot strong; No. 2 red 98 5-9 to 99 5-8 elevatod. Options 3-4 to 1c net advance. July 98 5-8; Sept. 97; Dec. 98 3-4.

Corn—Spot steady; No. 2, 80 1-2 nominal elevator. Options 1-4c net lower. July 81 1-2; Sept. 80 to 81.

Oats—Spot steady; mixed 55 to 56.

Lard—Firm. Refined steady.

Pork—Steady.

Rice and Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3.89; centrifugal 96 test 4.39; molasses sugar 3.64; Refined, steady.

Coffee—Quiet; No. 7 Rio 6 5-16; Santos 4s, 8 3-4. Mild quiet, Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 1-2. Futures net unchanged to 5 points higher.

Butter—Firm; receipts 6,848; creamery specials 23 1-2; extras 22 3-4; third to first 19 to 22 1-2.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts 9,460.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged.

Frights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Potatoes—Weak; Long Island, per barrel 3.00; Southern 2.00 to 3.25; Eastern shore 2.75 to 3.50; Jersey sweets, per basket 1.00 to 2.25.

Cabbages—Easy, unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Active with prices easier under selling by refiners and the promising crop outlook. Prime crude nominal; prime summer yellow 46 1-2; off summer yellow 42 1-2 to 46; good off summer yellow 42 to 44; prime white 47 1-2 to 50; prime winter yellow 48 to 49.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, July 9.—The local wheat market was strong today owing chiefly to a more active demand for the cash grain in this country and to higher prices at European grain markets. At the close the September delivery was up 1 1-4 to 1 3-8. Corn was off 3-8c. Oats were down 1c. Provisions were 2 1-2 to 5 to 12 1-2c higher.

Leading futures were as follows:

	Open.	Highest	Close.
Wheat.			
July	88 1-4	89 3-4	89 1-4
Sept	88 3-4	90 5-8	90
Dec.	90 5-8	91 7-8	91 1-2
Dec. ne	91 1-4	91 3-4	91 1-4
Corn.			
July	72 1-4	75 3-8	71 7-8
Dec.	61 3-8	61 1-2	60 1-4
May	61	61 1-2	60 5-8
Oats.			
July ol	47	48 1-2	48 1-2
July ne	47 1-2	47 1-2	47 1-2
Sept	40 5-8	40 5-8	39 7-8
Dec.	41 1-4	41 3-8	40 5-8
May	43 1-4	43 1-2	42 5-8
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
July	15 57 1-2	15 67 1-2	15 65
Sept	15 72 1-2	15 85	15 85
Oct.	15 90	15 90	15 90
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
July	9 40	9 40	9 40
Sept	9 45	9 52 1-2	9 50
Oct.	9 52 1-2	9 60	9 57 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
July	8 67 1-2	8 72 1-2	8 72 1-2
Sept	8 72 1-2	8 85	8 85
Oct.	8 85	8 92 1-2	8 92 1-2

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour firm. No. 3 spring wheat 95 to 1.08; No. 2 red 90 to 91. No. 2 corn 72 3-4 to 73 1-4; No. 2 yellow 74 3-4 to 75. No. 3 oats, white 52 to 54 1-4. No. 2 rye 72 to 73. Fair to choice malting 66 to 70. Short ribs, sides (loose) 8.50 to 8.80. Mess pork, per bbl. 15.65 to 15.75. Lard, per 100 lbs. 9.40. Short clear sides (boxed) 8.87 1-2 to 9.00. Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 9.—Rosin steady. Turpentine quiet at 42.

Charleston, S. C., July 9.—Turpentine steady 38 1-2; no sales. Rosin steady; No sales. Quote A. B. C. 2.70 to 2.75; D, 3.00; E, 3.10.

Savannah, Ga., July 9.—Turpentine firm 38 3-4; sales 768; receipts 1,449; shipments 766.

Rosin firm; sales 4,112; receipts 3,897; shipments 320; stocks 115,439. Quote: A. B. C. 2.90; D, 3.05; E, 3.15; F, 3.30; G, 3.30; H, 3.85; I, 4.10; K, 5.20; M, 5.70; N, 6.20; WG, 6.45; WW, 6.50.

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W. & W. Railroad—234 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—53 bales cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin, 23 barrels tar, 27 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—9 casks spirits turpentine, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—30 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Bee—3 casks sprits turpentine, 11 barrels rosin.

Total—287 bales cotton, 30 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels rosin, 30 barrels tar, 78 barrels crude turpentine

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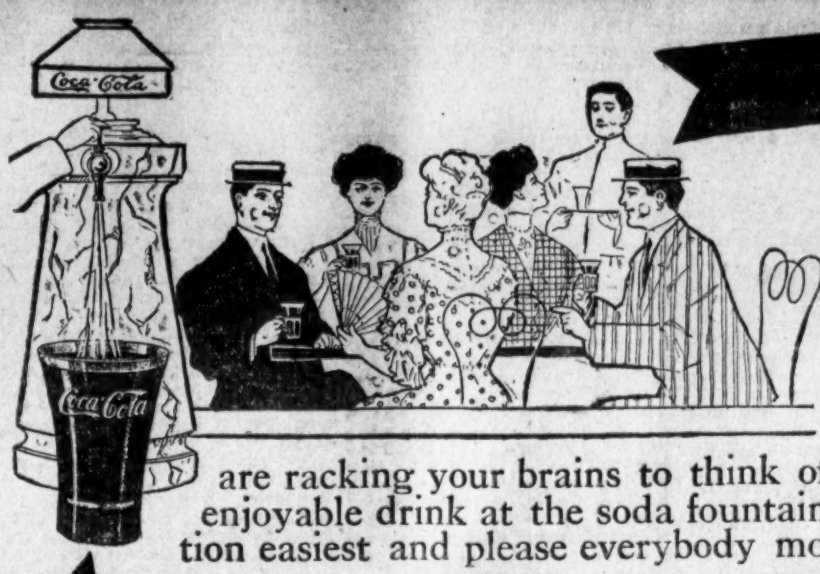

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PLATFORM REPORTED

Two Sessions of Convention Held Yesterday—Permanent Organization Effected at First—Platform Reported—Speeches Made.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Convention Hall, Denver, July 9.—At 11 o'clock, the hour set for convening, scarcely 100 delegates were in their places.

The committee on permanent organization had been ready with its report ever since Tuesday night, simply holding it for ratification, after the credentials committee had completed its work.

The hall began to fill more rapidly after 11 o'clock.

During the wait for Chairman Bell to call the assemblage to order before finally relinquishing his gavel to Congressman Henry D. Clayton, of Alabama, the permanent chairman, the cowboy band which has earned a wide reputation both for its endurance and the quality of its music, kept up a lively fusillade of patriotic selections with songs of the South interspersed from time to time and calling out the utmost enthusiasm.

At 11:30 o'clock Chairman Bell began hammering with his gavel. He kept up a monotonous hammering but after a time he gave up and retired. Then he came back to the front and hammered again, following this with another rest.

A third rapping, however began to produce some effect and the temporary chairman was able to make himself heard as he ordered the aisles cleared and repeated the sentence which is constantly on his tongue "Gentlemen, take your seats."

At 11:40 o'clock the convention was quiet and the chairman announced that the prayer would be made by Rabbi Samuel Koch of Seattle, Washn.

As chairman of the Committee on Permanent Organization Senator McCreary, of Kentucky, presented the report of that body. It recommended Henry D. Clayton, of Alabama, for permanent chairman, Ury Woodson, of Kentucky for secretary and John I. Martin of Missouri as sergeant-at-arms. In all other respects the temporary organization was made permanent.

The chair after the unanimous adoption of the report appointed Senator McCreary, Lewis Nixon of New York and J. E. Baker of California as members of a committee to escort the permanent chairman to the platform.

Chairman Clayton, as soon as he was seen advancing toward the platform, was cheered to the echo and the uproar was redoubled as he was introduced to the convention by Temporary Chairman Bell.

Three little girls in red, white and blue dresses were helped to the platform before Mr. Clayton began to speak. In their arms were large bunches of American Beauty roses that almost smothered the little tots. The roses were presented to the permanent chairman amid much cheering and then one by one, the children were lifted to the desk and Mr. Clayton kissed them in turn.

Cheering and laughter continued during the pretty little ceremony and a gale of merriment swept the hall when some one in the midst of the kissing called out "Hobson, Hobson." The little girls were Misses Irene, Catherine and Ada Smith, all of Denver.

Mr. Clayton called out the first applause, when after thanking the convention for the privilege of presiding over its deliberations he declared with emphasis: "This Democratic."

When he came to that part of his address dealing with the trusts, Mr. Clayton omitted a large paragraph covering a message sent to Congress by President Roosevelt on the subject of trust egulation. "I will not weary you by reading this," he said, "you can read it in the newspapers.

The task of delivering his address, it was apparent, was telling somewhat on Mr. Clayton. He is a speaker of emphatic forceful delivery and the heat in the hall was great. His face was streaming and his collar was rapidly losing its shape under the constant flow of the perspiration that drenched his face. His energy, however, was unabated despite his evident fatigue, and he continued steadily, save for occasional periods during which he wiped his eye glasses and mopped his forehead.

As he approached the end of his speech Mr. Clayton read more and more rapidly with the evident intention of finishing as quickly as possible. This was due, however, to his own desire and was not caused by any sign of inattention on the part of the convention which continued to accord him marked attention. Loud cheers of approval greeted Chairman Clayton as he concluded and the applause was continued for several minutes. The delegates stood up on their chairs and tossed hats and handkerchiefs into the air.

While the demonstration in honor of Mr. Clayton was in progress the doors of the convention hall were opened and the Jefferson Club, of St. Louis, was admitted for a parade through the aisles. At the head of the line was a blue banner bearing "David R. Francis for Vice President." It elecited much enthusiasm.

The marchers attempted to countermarch in the narrow aisle paralleling the stage and a dangerous congestion was averted only by sharp commands of the sergeant-at-arms urging the club to proceed out of the opposite door.

John W. Kern, of Indiana, offered a motion providing for the appointment of a committee of three to ascertain when the committee on resolutions would be ready to report the platform.

The motion was adopted and the chair appointed as the committee Messrs. Kern, of Indiana; Pace, of Alabama and Mack, of New York.

"Pending the investigation and report of the committee, said Mr. Clayton," the chair takes the liberty of inviting to address the convention Mr. Raymond Robbins of Chicago."

Mr. Robbins was greeted with liberal applause.

Mr. Robbins' brief but eloquent address was loudly cheered. The clerk of the convention then was directed to read the list of the new national committee. When the name of James M. Guffey, as committeeman from Pennsylvania was read there was loud cheering. Mr. McQuisten, of the Pennsylvania delegation immediately arose and asked for recognition but the roll call was completed.

Chairman Clayton said: "In the recollection of the chair, the action of the credentials committee in referring back to the Pennsylvania delegation the two committee lists submitted leaves Pennsylvania's place on the national committee vacant. The chair will rule in advance of the question being received from the Pennsylvania delegates that when the name of their new committeeman is received it will be announced."

The list of committeemen as read was declared approved, there being no objection from any part of the convention.

John W. Kern, of Indiana, one of the committee appointed to ascertain at what time the committee on resolutions would be ready to report, asked for recognition and announced that the committee would be ready to report not later than 7 o'clock and that its sessions were entirely harmonious.

After Mr. Kern had reported there were calls from Illinois for a speech from James Hamilton Lewis. Mr. Lewis was invited to the platform, but was late in arriving and after a brief wait Senator Grady, of New York, moved a recess until 7 o'clock P. M. The motion was carried with a whoop.

Night Session.

Convention Hall, July 9.—A small American flag had been placed on every delegate's chair prior to the beginning of the evening session. This was the unmistakable evidence of the nominating session of the convention and quickened the interest of the spectators who early made a rush for the galleries filling them to overflowing.

At 7 o'clock, however, there were few of the delegates in their places.

A male quartette was an added feature of the musical programme of the night session. They sang their first selection through megaphones and got a royal reception.

At 7:15 the galleries were completely filled and the majority of the delegates were in their seats. The band in the gallery worked with great industry and when it struck up "Dixie" a demonstration followed.

It was just 7:50 o'clock when Chairman Clayton began to rap for order which he secured within the minute.

Mr. Clayton recognized Mr. McQuisten, of Pennsylvania, who announced the selection of James Kerr as member of the national committee from that State in place of James M. Guffey, who was selected before the Pennsylvania contests were settled. The selection was ratified.

Ollie James of Kentucky moved that a committee of three be appointed again to wait upon the platform committee and ascertain when it will be ready to report. The motion prevailed and Mr. James, J. Thomas Heflin, of Alabama, and F. P. Lynch, of Minnesota, were named. Thomas P. Ball, of Texas, was invited to address the convention.

Mr. Ball called out cheering when he said it was a great pleasure to address such a notable "ratification convention" and declared Mr. Bryan would be nominated because the people of the States who sent their delegates to the convention want him nominated.

Senator Grady of New York, was given an enthusiastic reception as he appeared on the rostrum in response to an invitation to speak.

Following Senator Grady, Chairman Dayton introduced Judge N. J. Wade, of Colorado, who also spoke.

Just as Judge Wade finished his speech a woman seated in the rear of the press seats fainted away. It was found necessary to lift her bodily over the railing of one of the boxes and she was carried to the outside.

Champ Clark, of Missouri, next addressed the convention. He referred to Mr. Bryan as one of the greatest living Americans.

The chair recognized Representative Ollie James, of Kentucky, of the committee sent to ascertain the probability of an early report from the committee on resolutions. Mr. James reported that the committee would not be ready to report before midnight.

Nominations Begun.

On motion of Mr. James, the rules were declared by the chair to be suspended, and nominations for President were declared to be in order, with the understanding that no votes should be taken until after the platform had been received.

The secretary began to call the roll, shouting "Alabama."

"Knowing that Nebraska will make no mistake in nominating the right man," said the chairman of that delegation, "Alabama yields to Nabraska."

I. J. Dunn, of Omaha, will speak for the Nebraska delegation," announced the chairman of that State, amid cheering.

Mr. Dunn is scarcely of middle age. He spoke clearly and with pleasing manner of delivery.

As Mr. Dunn proceeded, almost every allusion he made to the character of Mr. Bryan was enthusiastically applauded.

When Mr. Dunn declared that his candidate was the choice of the militant Democracy of the country, the convention broke in with wild cheers. The ever ready flags were tossed aloft and a roar of applause swept through the hall. While the cheering was at its height a white dove was let loose from the gallery, and it flew across the convention hall while the delegates hailed it with great enthusiasm and cheered as long as it was in sight.

A few minutes after the cheering began an immense oil painting of Mr. Bryan was lowered from behind a monster American shield which had reposed over the chairman's desk. The appearance of the picture raised the pitch of the outburst.

Jim Dahlman, of Omaha, a Bryan leader, jumped to the speaker's desk and urged the throng forward. The State standards were grouped about the platform. Galleries and delegates were on their feet waving the thousands of flags and cheering themselves hoarse. Many of the New York delegates stood and cheered with the others, but the majority remained seated.

Only six banners were missing from the States in the parade through the aisles after the grouping at the stage had been broken into a procession. They were Maryland, Minnesota, New York, Georgia, New Jersey and Delaware.

The standards of New York and Georgia were quickly made the objects of attack and the crowd endeavored to drag them up and carry them in the parade that was going round the hall. Strong hands, however, held the poles, and determined men were gathered close about them. The men from Georgia and New York held their ground and the standards never moved. The crowd in the parade was not nearly so numerous as that of yesterday.

One hour and five minutes after Mr. Dunn had spoken his last word, the hall was rapidly quieting down and the mass of delegates and spectators was seated.

At 10:20 o'clock P. M., when the demonstration's last cry had died away, Chairman Clayton directed the secretary to continue calling the roll of States. Arkansas passed and California yielded to Oregon. Ex-Senator Gearin of that State then was introduced to second the nomination of Mr. Bryan.

The Senator spoke but a few minutes, and left the stand with liberal applause.

Governor Glenn's Speech.

Arkansas, which had passed early in the roll, gave way to North Carolina, and Governor Glenn of that State took the stand to second the nomination of Mr. Bryan.

The crowd grew very impatient as the speaker continued his address. His peroration and the name of Mr. Bryan were entirely lost in the chorus of cries that was hurled at him.

Fred J. Kern, of Illinois, made a motion after Governor Glenn had concluded that all seconding speeches be limited to five minutes. The motion was carried.

The next speaker to second the nomination of Mr. Bryan was Governor Swanson, of Virginia.

Johnson In Nomination.

The opportunity of the Johnson supporters came when the roll call reached Connecticut and that State gave way to Minnesota, Winfield S. Hammond, of the latter State, took the stand amid a considerable volume of applause to place in nomination Governor John A. Johnson, of Minnesota.

That all the cheering was not yet killed in the convention was made manifest when Mr. Hommond concluded. The loyal sons of the North Star State responded with a cheer and a number of delegates in Massachusetts and Oklahoma jonied. A liberal amount of applause come down from the galleries, but the noise was but a whisper compared with the terrific roar of the Bryan demonstration. Some of the Georgia delegates mounted their chairs after a few minutes and added their voices to those of the Minnesota men. Order finally was restored after 25 minutes. The house electricians who had dimmed the lights to help stop the Bryan demonstration again tried the device on the Johnson outburst amid some hissing and applause.

Gray in Nomination.

After the Johnson cheers died away, L. Irving Handy of Delaware presented the name of George Gray of his State.

Some cheering was heard when Mr. Handy had concluded, but there was no attempt at a Gray demonstration.

Governor Haskell, of Oklahoma, chairman of the resolution committee, then presented his speech and platform.

The hands of the big clock opposite the speaker's platform had the hour of midnight, an assistant sergeant at arms climbed on top of the railing and stopped them. It was evident that there was no desire to transact the important business before the convention on the "unlucky" day of Friday.

SOLDIERS RIOTING.

A Serious Affair at Riverview on the Potomac River.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Washington, July 9.—As the result of a serious riot last Tuesday night at Riverview, a resort on the Maryland side of the Potomac about 54 miles below here, 25 privates of the United States army are under arrest at Fort Washington, Md., and Captain Edward N. Macon, who endeavored to suppress the outbreak, suffered a broken arm and many of the rioters sustained painful injuries. The participants may be court martialled.

Tuesday being pay day, 75 of the men, it is said, had been drinking and became involved in a free-for-all fight at Riverview, in which several civilians participated. Men, women and children, excursionists, fled from the resort. Captain Macon and a company of men went to the resort and after considerable resistance finally put the rioters under guard at Fort Washington.

As the result of a gas explosion and fire in a three-story tenement house, in Boston yesterday, two are dead, two hopelessly burned and eleven others suffering from more or less serious injuries.

RUSSIA AND AMERICA

Better Feeling Between the Two Called For By Russian Press.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

St. Petersburg, July 9.—The Rossia today publishes a letter from its correspondent in the United States who urges in strong terms the necessity, particularly to Russia, of a better understanding between the Russian and the American people and who proposes a method by which this highly desired end can be accomplished. The correspondent deplores what he calls the animosity of the American people of today towards Russia and says this is a direct outcome of the persistent efforts of the enemies of the Russian empire, the Japanese, during the late war, and, subsequently, Russian political agitators who visited the United States and gave the American people a false and misleading idea of conditions in the empire. To remedy this deplorable condition the correspondent says the American people must be instructed in what Russia really is. The press is not the way to do it, nor must the method be tainted by any official connection. Russian society must act by itself unaided.

"A group of prominent Russians," the correspondent says, "should invite to Russia a umber of influential American politicians, scientists, merchants, financiers, and business men and permit them to see and judge of conditions at first hand.

James G. Lathrop, for 20 years coach of the Harvard track team has been dismissed as the Crimson's coach by the Harvard Athletic Committee. No reason is assigned for the change. Notice of his dismissal was sent by a prominent member of the Harvard committee to Coach Lathrop at his summer home at Windham, Conn.

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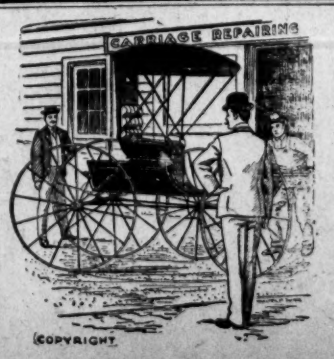

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